

20 Injured As Pre-dawn Tornado Hits Okla. Towns

McAlester, Okla., March 26 (AP)—A pre-dawn tornado destroyed the village of Crowder, 15 miles north of here, early today.

First reports said at least three persons were killed but highway patrolmen who searched ruined buildings had found no bodies three hours later.

Approximately 20 injured persons were brought to McAlester hospitals.

Only a few stone buildings were left standing in the little community after the tornado ripped through it at 4:15 a. m., CST.

Crowder's population is officially listed at 378.

Utility Lines Down

All telephone and power lines to the community were down.

In Oklahoma City, the Oklahoma Gas and Electric company said it had reports the village of Canadian, four miles north of Crowder, also was hit.

The Red Cross sent emergency teams to the area, and the McAlester unit of the Oklahoma National guard was called upon to help.

220 ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL IN FEBRUARY

Only routine business came before the March meeting of the board of directors of the Annie M. Warner hospital, Friday evening in the board room of the hospital.

The short month of the year, February, was a busy one at the hospital. Patients admitted were 220, slightly less than the previous month, but the average number of patients per day reached 83 compared with 75 for January.

There were 47 births in the hospital in February of which 28 were female and 19 male babies.

The hospital had an earned income of \$22,135.87 for the month which reflected the loss of three days as compared with the income of January. Expenses, however, being principally calculated on a monthly basis, were only a little less than the longer month of January. Hence, earned income maintained a margin of only \$600 over the expenses of the month.

Operating Deficit

The operating deficit for the nine months of the fiscal year, ending February 28, is \$6,183.89. This does not reflect the write-offs of charity service in excess of the state appropriation.

Carl Baum, Gettysburg, vice president of the board, presided over the meeting in the absence of President C. A. Bixler, of New Oxford. Directors attending the meeting were: William Sneringer, Littlestown; Edgar McDannell, Arendtsville; H. H. Miller, Joseph E. Codori, Edmund W. Thomas, William Durbin, Father Mark E. Stock, Philip M. Jones, Dr. Frank H. Kramer and Henry M. Scharf, all of Gettysburg.

Driver Is Held On Manslaughter Count

Coatesville, Pa., March 26 (AP)—A 25-year-old Malvern, Pa., truck driver is in jail for grand jury action charged with involuntary manslaughter in the death of another truck driver.

William Speer was ordered held last night by Deputy Coroner Fred Manship.

Joseph Wagner, 26, Williamsport, was burned fatally in a collision between two trucks here March 8.

CREWS CLEAR WRECKAGE

Binghamton, N. Y., March 26 (AP)—Work crews labored today to clear the Erie railroad's main line tracks here of 14 derailed freight cars. The cars, about 40 cars behind the locomotive, ran off the track last night in the freight yards and dumped piles of coal on adjoining tracks. The train was en route from Hornell to Susquehanna, Pa. No one was injured.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Admissions include Michael Joseph Flynn, 37 Fourth street; Mrs. Charles Woodward, South Washington street. Discharges, Ward Taylor, Bendersville; Mrs. James Staub, 37 South street; Mrs. Virginia Grove, Littlestown R. 2; Mary Jane Willis, Fairfield; Mrs. Annie Geisler, Gettysburg R. 5, and Mrs. Walter L. Eckert, Taneytown.

PAYS SPEEDING FINE

Leo N. Quesnel, Burlington, Vt., paid a fine of \$10 and costs to Justice of the Peace F. E. Coulson, York Springs, on a charge of speeding, filed by state police of the Gettysburg substation.

Weather Forecast

Mostly cloudy and warmer with showers late this afternoon, tonight and Sunday.

Local Weather

Yesterday's high 53
Last night's low 48
Today at 10:30 a. m. 54

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RECIPROCITY ON LICENSE TAGS IS EXPLAINED

Pennsylvania motorists who work in Maryland and who return home each night need not purchase Maryland license plates. Likewise, residents of Maryland who work in Pennsylvania and return home each evening need not purchase Pennsylvania license tags.

This explanation was given today by the Pennsylvania Revenue Department in citing the reciprocity agreement between Pennsylvania and Maryland.

Clarification of the reciprocity agreement followed announcement on Friday that a Pennsylvanian, working in Maryland, had been compelled to purchase Maryland license plates and also pay a sales tax on his car. It was said that the Pennsylvanian remained in Maryland during the week and returned home for week-ends. According to the reciprocity agreement it is understood that the exemption would not affect this case.

One spokesman explained that it would be difficult to determine which out-of-state resident worker returned home each evening and which returned only on week-ends unless each individual case was investigated.

Messner Comments

Harrisburg, March 26 (AP)—Otto B. Messner, acting state Secretary of Revenue has confirmed reports of what appears to be a "reciprocal war" on the licensing of automobiles between Pennsylvania and Maryland.

The motorist who lives in one state and works in the other could be caught in the crossfire and saddled with two sets of license plates.

Messner said last night that a Pennsylvania resident working in Baltimore had been forced to obtain Maryland license plates for his car.

"We can reciprocate such treatment," Messner said.

COURT GRANTS TWO DIVORCES; ONE IS REFUSED

The Adams county court this morning handed down an opinion dismissing the libel in divorce brought by Ethel J. (Rubenstein) Currens, Gettysburg, against Richard D. Currens, Orrtanna.

At the same time the court granted divorces to Dorothy M. Darr, Biglerville R. 2, from Boyd C. Darr, York Springs, and to Edgar F. Shepard, Biglerville R. 2, from Isabel (Showers) Shepard, Chambersburg street.

In its opinion on the Currens case the court held that Mrs. Currens' testimony was "contradictory in many respects," and that "it is insufficient to establish a charge of cruelty or of indignities to the person."

Tax collector bonds were approved for the following: Mrs. W. A. Mahone, Oxford township; Elmer Wagner, Latimore township; B. L. Mickley, Reading township; John F. Peeser, Union township, and Edward DeChuebell, McSherrystown.

Countian Involved In Truck Accident

Howard Stine, Sacramento, Pa., driver of a car-carrier, was charged with failing to yield the right-of-way following an accident at Eichleberger's curve, Gettysburg-Harrisburg road near Harrisburg, late Friday afternoon. Stine suffered minor injuries.

Stine's truck was struck by a tractor-trailer travelling west as Stine attempted to make a left turn from the Gettysburg road into Thirty-second street. Both trucks ended up across the road and traffic was tied up for a half hour.

Chief of Police William Shay, Lower Allen township, who investigated the accident and brought the charge against Stine before Justice of the Peace Donald Clouser, of the township, said the driver of the other vehicle was Harry Kuyendall, New Oxford R. 2. An ambulance was summoned from the Harrisburg hospital but Stine refused to go with it. He later was taken to the hospital by an insurance man.

Send Notice For Disorderly Conduct

A ten-day notice has been sent by Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore to George Thrush, 200 Springs avenue, charging him with disorderly conduct.

Borough police filed the charge, alleging that on March 19, Thrush stood in the middle of the highway on the first block of Chambersburg street, "attempting to direct and stop traffic and annoying motorists with loud and boisterous" conduct.

Campus Musicale Planned Sunday

Reviving the programs that were popular on the Gettysburg campus several years ago, plans were announced today for a Sunday Evening Musicale at 8:45 o'clock in the auditorium of the SCA building. Prof. Frederick Shaffer again is in charge.

The Rev. Howard McCarney, a baritone, and Mrs. McCarney, a soprano, will present solos and several duets with Richard Schantz as their accompanist. Mr. Schantz also will present several piano solos.

Dr. Francis C. Mason of the faculty will resume his role of poetry reader and commentator.

The program is open to the public and will be broadcast by the college radio station, WWGC.

FARMERS MART SHOWS EASTER FLOWERS TODAY

The arrival of "Easter" flowers on the Farmers market was about the only change in today's offerings from a week ago. Prices also remained the same.

Eggs showed the greatest range in prices. Some large browns sold for 45 cents a dozen, and mediums as low as 40 cents. Large whites were 48 cents a dozen. Other farmers asked 50 cents a dozen, while in one or two cases 54 cents was the asking price.

The spring flowers were mostly jonquils and daffodils, and sold for ten cents a bunch. Rose bushes and other shrubs for spring planting are due on the market next week.

Fresh Green Onions

The tag end of this year's pussy-willow crop sold for 15 cents a bunch this morning. Forsythia could be had for from 15 cents to 25 cents, depending upon the size of the bunches.

Fresh green onions marked another sign of spring. They sold for ten cents a bunch. Parsnips and turnips were ten cents a quart box; onions, 15 cents a quart box; water-cress, 15 cents a quart; parsley, five cents a bunch. The market also offered dandelion greens at 15 cents a quart box.

Pork prices remained unchanged. Loins were 90 cents a pound; roast ham, 70 cents a pound; scrapple, 20 cents a pound; sausage, 60 cents a pound; smoked sausage, 65 cents a pound; neck roast, 50 cents a pound; shoulder roast, 60 cents a pound; backbone, 45 cents a pound; ribs, 45 cents a pound; pudding, 50 cents a pound; liver, 50 cents a pound; side-meat, 45 cents a pound and pigs feet, 15 cents.

Butter sold as low as 60 cents a pound and as high as 75 cents a pound. Lard was 20 cents a pound.

Chickens were unchanged. Dressed fryers and capons were 70 cents a pound; ducks and roasters, 65 cents a pound.

Rome Beauty, Stayman and York Imperial apples were available at \$4 a bushel. Potatoes sold for \$2.50 a bushel.

Other items included potato salad, 20 cents a pint; sweet cream, 35 cents a pint; cottage cheese, 20 cents a pint; cookies, 25 cents a dozen; pies, 40 cents each; saffratrias, 25 cents a bag, and popcorn, five cents an ear, or 15 cents a half-pint jar, shelled.

TELL COUNTIANS WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A JUROR

Adams county residents selected for jury duty in April received literature on what it means to be a juror along with their summons to appear for duty.

Judge W. C. Sheely revealed today that pamphlets containing the prize winning essay in the 1944-45 contest of the committee on American Citizenship of the American bar association have been sent to all selected for jury duty. The same pamphlet contains the "Juror's Creed" by David A. Simmons, which is a composite of all essays submitted in the contest as compiled by the chairman of the contest committee and president of the Association.

Distribution of the pamphlet was made to better acquaint the jurors with their duties before they appear for court service, Judge Sheely pointed out.

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REV. P. J. AUMEN IS ORDAINED

The Rev. Paul J. Aumen, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Aumen, New Oxford R. 1, was ordained to the priesthood in the Precious Blood Order at rites conducted Friday morning in Carthage, N. Y.

The newly-ordained priest will say his first solemn high mass in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, New Oxford, on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

The Rev. Father Aumen was graduated from the grade school at Miller's school, Penn township, in 1934, and attended the Central Catholic high school, now Delone Catholic high school in McSherrystown, for three years.

After leaving high school the young man entered Brunnerdale seminary, Canton, O., and studied for two years. He then went to St. Joseph's college, Collegeville, Ind., for three years.

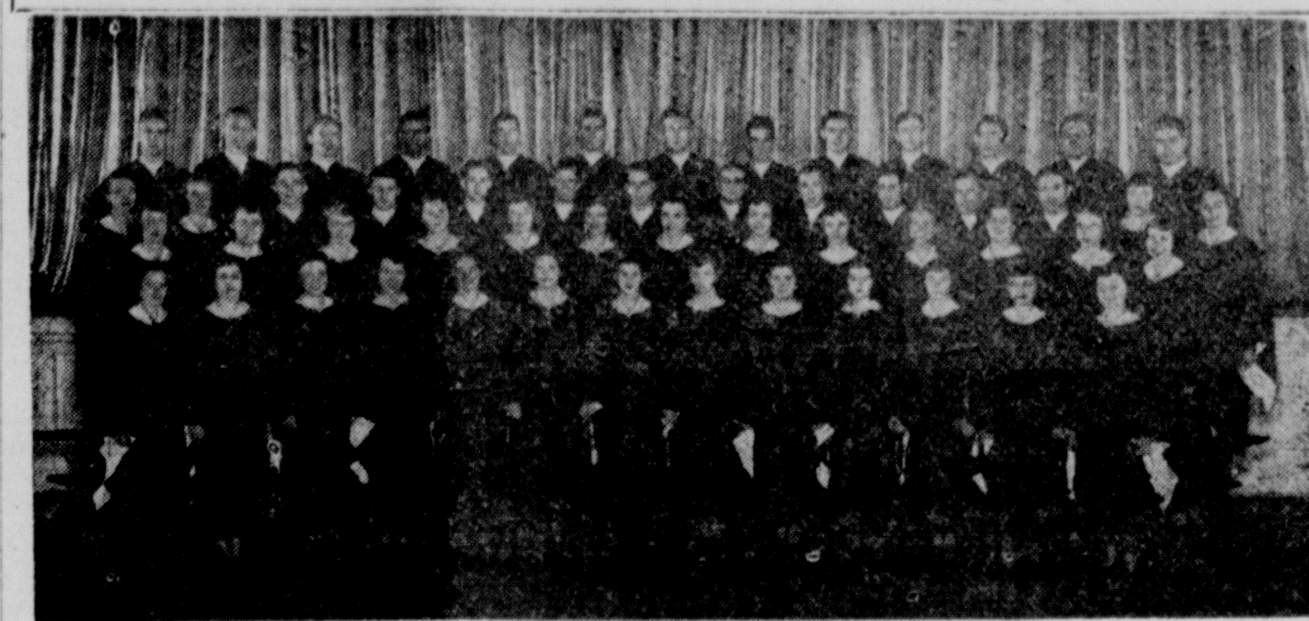
The Rev. Father Aumen entered St. Charles Seminary at Carthage, O., six years ago.

After a two weeks vacation at the home of his parents, he will return to Carthage, where he will be assigned to his duties.

STUDENT'S FATHER DIES

George H. Hamm, formerly of Harrisburg, father of George H. Hamm, Jr., a Gettysburg college student, died Thursday in St. Elizabeth's hospital, Elizabeth, N. J. He was a Pennsylvania railroad conductor. His widow and a daughter also survive.

College Choir To Give Concert Here Tuesday



Pictured above are the members of the Gettysburg College Choir who will present a concert of sacred music at the Eddie Plank Memorial gymnasium on the college campus Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

From left to right they are:

First Row: Shirley Thomas, Philadelphia; Norma Burkholder, Hummelstown; Doris Lawhead, Clearfield; Betty Minnich, Ramsey, N. J.; Cynthia Shearer, Philadelphia; Nancy Gould, Johnstown; Lillian Mickley, New Oxford; Anna Dundore, Oley; Margaret Moul, New Oxford; Joyce Combs, Baltimore, Md.; Betty Lou Dinger, Pittsburgh; Hazel Trexler, Laureldale; Shirley Martin, Chambersburg.

Second Row: Gail Grogan, Nutley, N. J.; Maude Aurand, Wheeling, W. Va.; Ruthie Rittenbaugh, Gettysburg; Barbara Henley, Baltimore, Md.; Helen Knubel, New Rochelle, N. Y.; Martha Herman, Steelton; Jean Rost, Red Lion; Janet Kloter, Rockville, Conn.; Enid Nelson, Philadelphia; Ginny Saul, Carlisle; Ginny Bergen, Short Hills, N. J.; Nancy Kahl, Baltimore, Md.; Jane Mehring, Springfield.

Third Row: Hannah Miller, Pittsburgh; Mary Alice Hartranft, Bellefonte; Paul Keller, Baltimore, Md.; John Schwartz, Gettysburg; Don Bollinger, Gettysburg; Ted Schlack, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Don Simonton, York; Joe Tedeschi, Endicott, N. Y.; Bill Rock, Mercersburg; Don Hemperly, Chambersburg; Larry King, New Freedom; Russ Kerns, Steelton; Esther Gray, Baltimore, Md.; Jean Paris, Washington, D. C.

Fourth Row: Charles Carlson, Clearfield; Joe Heidler, York; Vernon Mickle, Hanover; Dante Scalzi, Reading; John Boyson, Mechanicsburg; Neilman Craley, Red Lion; Al Rudisill, Collingswood, N. J.; Fred Mellin, Bethlehem; John Wagner, Hudson Heights, N. J.; Tom Hunter, Philadelphia; Edgar Raffensperger, Gettysburg; Ernie Stover, Gettysburg; Jim Etsweiler, Millersburg.

The concert is sponsored by the Gettysburg branch of the Women's League of Gettysburg college with the proceeds to go toward the League's funds for the new music department at the college. No admission will be charged but there will be a silver offering.

French Made Flag To Be Sent Here

A handmade American flag and other patriotic articles from the Pennsylvania boxcar of the French Thank You train will be sent to Gettysburg. It was announced today at Harrisburg.

It is expected that the flag and other gifts will be received here by the Gettysburg Lions club which sponsored local donations to the American Friendship train several years ago. The Lions donated \$100 and helped collect more than five tons of food to be loaded on the train at Harrisburg.

Recently the local Lions directed Attorney Donald M. Swope, who was Friendship train chairman here, to ask that suitable articles for display here be sought from the Thank You car at Harrisburg.

The Pennsylvania car brought a package for Bishop George L. Leech, toys for orphanages, bridal gowns, pieces of art, and a stone monument to be placed at Indian-town Gap as a war memorial from Saint Avoird.

Here And There News Collected At Random

Twenty-three years ago a baby boy was born in Kingston, Pa. He weighed one and one-half pounds and he was christened Craig McLean. His father was a robust 180-pound, five foot ten inch individual. His mother was two inches over five feet and she weighed less than 125 pounds. Physicians despaired of the

FRACTURES ARM

Miss Fairy Hoke, Abbottstown, was treated at the Hanover hospital Thursday for a fracture of her left arm.

Two Officials Of Newly-Rich Westminster, Md., Library Come Here To Learn Adams Methods

The 86-year-old Westminster Public library—now the Walter H. and Elizabeth R. Davis Free library—has come to the three-year-old Adams County Free library for help on plans for expanding its services after having been given a \$200,000 property early this year.

Walter H. Davis, Westminster businessman, churchman and former mayor, and his wife have given the Westminster library a property there which includes the David building from which the library will have an annual income of about \$12,000 and a former church building which soon will be converted into new quarters for the library.

With a \$12,000 annual budget in prospect in place of the former \$1,200-a-year income on which the 9,000-volume library managed formerly, the new library board of incorporators is looking to offering broad service to wide sections of Carroll county.

It was to learn about rural library service that George K. Mather and John R. Bankard of the Davis library's board of trustees came to Gettysburg recently for a conference with Mrs. E. S. Lewars, president of the Adams County Free Library association, and Miss Anna Farran, librarian.

The property given the library at Westminster includes a building that houses a manufacturing plant, two drug stores and a theater. The church property, which will be available to the library as soon as the Westminster Methodist church completes a new structure, will be remodeled for library use.

Mr. Davis is a native of Middletown, Md., who stopped school at the age of 12 and started work as a "bundle boy" in the John D. Hendrickson store in Frederick. Later he went into business for himself in Westminster as a grocer, adding farm machinery and automobiles later. He is a prominent Methodist, a Mason, Rotarian, member of the board of trustees of Western Maryland college and, after serving his community in many capacities, was honored by the Westminster Chamber of Commerce as that community's most outstanding citizen.

The Westminster library was organized in 1863.

Canners Play First Game On New Field

Biglerville high school's football team will be the first opponent of Hanover high on its new athletic field next September 9 according to the schedule announced for the Nighthawks.

The schedule follows: September 9, Biglerville, home; 16, Delone, away; 24, Shippensburg, away; 30, Gettysburg, away; October 7, Mechanicsburg, away; 14, Chambersburg, home; 21, Columbia, home; 28, Carlisle, home; November 4, Hershey, away; 11, Waynesboro, home.

Only five tag days are left in the automobile license year.

The 1948 registration plates for Pennsylvania cars expire at midnight next Thursday. There will be no extension of the renewal period, Revenue Department officials said.

Tag issuing officers are on the North street ground floor of the State Finance building, near North and Cowden streets, Harrisburg.

Next week, regular hours may be extended if lines are in front of the issuing windows at closing time, it was added.

Interrupt Electric Service On Sunday In Gardners Area

Electric service in the Gardners area will be shut off for two 30-minute periods on Sunday while a work crew will install new and larger equipment, E. L. Young, manager of the Dillsburg branch of the Metropolitan Edison company, announced today.

Service will shut off between 10 and 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning and for another 30-minute period during the afternoon. Mr. Young was unable to say at what time the interruption will be in the afternoon but estimated the half-hour period to start sometime between 2:30 and 3:30 o'clock. Consumers are being asked to make allowance for the two interruptions.

S.S. DISTRICTS LIST DATES FOR 7 CONVENTIONS

Plans for a number of district conventions, a children's department conference and the annual convention of the Adams County Sunday school association were announced Friday evening at a meeting of the county Council of Christian Education at the YWCA here.

The program for the annual convention, to be held June 19 at the York Springs Lutheran church, is nearly completed, according to reports presented at the session.

District Convention Dates

The following district conventions were also announced:

District One (which includes Gettysburg and surrounding area), May 15 at Pines Lutheran church, during the afternoon and evening.

District Two (Fairfield area), May 8, at the Fairfield Reformed church.

District Three (Littlestown area), April 24, at St. Paul's church, Littlestown.

District Four (New Oxford, East Berlin, Abbottstown, Hampton area), May 15, in the evening, at the New Oxford Lutheran church.

Plan April 29 Conference

District Five (York Springs to Idaville, Goodyear section), the evenings of April 30 and May 1 at the Chestnut Grove Lutheran church at Latimore.

District Six (Biglerville, Arendtsville, Bendersville area), May 1, in the evening, at the Bendersville Methodist church.

Mrs. Cameron Garretson, children's department superintendent for the county unit announced plans for a children's division conference April 29 at 7 p. m., at St. James Lutheran church here, which all teachers in the children's departments in the county and all other workers in those departments are being urged to attend. Miss Myfanwy Roberts, of the state Sunday school staff, will be present to speak at the meeting. Books, equipment and other material for the children's department will be on display at the session.

Offer Bible School Work

The principal topic for discussion at the children's division session April 29 will be Vacation Bible school work.

R. R. Starnier, Bendersville, president of the county group, who presided at the meeting, urged observance of National Family Week, to be held from May 1 to May 8.

Dr. Norman S. Wolf, Fairfield, young people's superintendent, reported on the recent organization of the Adams County Christian Youth Council. The first executive committee meeting of the youth council will be held March 31 and the first executive council meeting will be held May 1 at the Gettysburg Methodist church. He also announced that the new county group plans to send a delegate to the Christian Youth Council conference at Lewis-town April 29 to May 1.

Mrs. Abram Fritz Expires Suddenly

Mrs. Dillie Fritz, 74, widow of Abram Fritz, died suddenly at her home in Grantville, Pa., Friday morning at 11:15 o'clock from a heart attack.

She was born near Gettysburg, a daughter of the late George and Hettie Wolf.

Surviving are a son, Clarence, Annville; one daughter, Mrs. Walter Pheasant, Grantville; four grandchildren; three brothers, Charles E. Calvin and Roy C. Wolf, all of Gettysburg.

Funeral services Monday at 10:30 a. m. at the McKnightstown Reformed church. Interment in Florh's cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock at the Boyer funeral home, Shellsville, Pa.

WILL PROBATED

The will of Maria V. Lippy, late of Conecago township, has been entered for probate at the office of the county register and recorder. A granddaughter, Helen L. Neiderer, Hanover, is executrix.

Good Evening

A man's intellect is judged by his ability to disagree without being disagreeable.

THREE INJURED WHEN TAXI AND AUTO COLLIDE

Three persons were injured at 11:05 p. m. Friday night on the Biglerville road at the top of Keckler's hill, when an automobile operated by Donald G. Heckenluber, 16, of Biglerville R. 2, collided with a Little taxicab operated by Charles E. Woodward, 24, of 155 South Washington street, state police of the Gettysburg substation, who investigated the accident reported today.

Mrs. Geraldine Woodward, 18, wife of the driver of the taxicab, was brought to the Warner hospital by a passing motorist. State police said she suffered internal injuries. Heckenluber was treated at the hospital for a laceration of the lower lip and bruises on his knees.

Woodward suffered abrasions of both thighs and the right knee.

\$700 Damage

State police said Woodward was driving east on a side road which enters the Biglerville road at the top of the hill, and had stopped for the stop sign. Heckenluber's car ran off the west side of the Biglerville road and struck the taxi, the report said. Police said it was foggy at the time of the accident.

Damage to the taxicab was estimated at \$400, and to Heckenluber's car at \$300. Investigation is being continued.

PARK AVENUE MATRON FOUND SLAIN BY TUTOR

New York, March 26 (AP)—A sequence of scorned love, murder and suicide was described by police today after a society matron was found strangled in her luxurious Park avenue apartment.

Police said wealthy Mrs. Helen Reinberg, 51, was slain by her lover-smitten but spurned language tutor, who then flung himself beneath the wheels of a subway train two hours later.

A note left by the tutor, Jose Del Pino, 57, a small, dark former university Spanish teacher, said Mrs. Reinberg "broke my heart" by rebuffing his love.

Tie Knotted About Throat

"I just got through making the greatest blunder of my life," the note said. "I can't think because I'm completely crazy."

The note was apparently written after Mrs. Reinberg was killed, police said.

Her near-nude body was found in her fashionable seven-room apartment yesterday. A man's black necktie was knotted about her throat. Police said she had been dead about 24 hours.

Husband In Peru

Mrs. Reinberg was the wife of wealthy Gustave Reinberg, vice president of one of the world's largest copper mining firms, the Cerro de Pasco Copper corporation. Police said he is in Lima, Peru, on business.

The Reinbergs' 17-year-old daughter, Anne, is a student at Vassar college in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Del Pino formerly taught Spanish at Brown university, at Providence, R. I., at Middlebury college, in Vermont, and at Columbia university here. Police said he had given language lessons to Mrs. Reinberg for the past three years.

Price Of Milk To Drop Cent Friday

Adams counties will be paying a cent less per quart for their milk starting Friday, the State Milk Control Commission announced today.

The new milk price will be in effect for three months from the starting date, April 1, and follows the usual automatic decrease under the seasonal pricing system in effect in the Harrisburg area in which Adams county is included.

Farmer prices at the same time will be decreased from \$5.50 to \$5.10 a hundred pounds.

SELL PROPERTY

Capt. Edward A. and Ruth C. Holmes, Cumberland township, have sold their 179-acre farm with stock, equipment and crops, at Marsh Creek Heights to S. A. and Frances E. Burton, Baltimore. Possession will be given June 1. The sale was made through C. A. Heiges.

NOMINATION APPROVED

The United States Senate has approved the nomination of Robert N. Eisenhart as postmaster at Aspers.

Red Cross Drive

Goal	\$11,185.00
Donations	9,665.75
Balance	\$ 1,519.25

Emmitsburg
HOMEMAKERS
AND GRANGERS
HOLD SESSIONS

The regular meeting of the Emmitsburg Garage was held on Wednesday. Worthy Master Robert Fitez presided. Minutes were read by the secretary, Clara Harner. A short business meeting was conducted. Those visiting at this meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Howard U. Quinn from New Market Garage; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Crieckenberger, Pomona Crum; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Crum, Wilkesville; Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Stallsmith, Mrs. Martin and son, all from Dileon Garage, Hanover; Mr. and Mrs. Merle Wilhide, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Valentine, Taneytown. A program was put on by the Hanover group consisting of songs, monologues, short skits, and games. Ladies of the Emmitsburg Grange served luncheon. The next meeting will be held on April 6.

The Orphans' court at Frederick on Tuesday approved the first and final account of Charles L. Wantz, administrator, in the estate of Sallie M. Wantz, as stated by J. Ward Kerigan, agent. He reported \$3,704.90 and distributed \$1,437.85.

Homemakers Meet
The monthly meeting of the Homemakers club of Emmitsburg was held Thursday, 11 members present. The president, Mrs. Morris Zentz opened the meeting with the reading of the collect. Mrs. Roy Bollinger, music chairman, read an account of the life of Irving Berlin and played one of his songs, "A Pretty Girl is Like a Melody." Roll call and minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Thornton Rodgers. The treasurer's report was also given.

It was decided to hold the next evening devoted to games at the firemen's hall with Mrs. Carroll Frock and Mrs. Ernest Shriver, hostesses. A motion was made and carried that a donation of \$2.50 be given the Red Cross at \$7.50 to the library. Approximately \$44 was made at the bingo party held March 12. Art Chairman Miss Louise Sebald read an article on visiting the Art Galleries. Miss Sebald announced that at the next monthly meeting on April 28, Mrs. G. L. Thomas will be a guest of the club, and will speak on "Stronghold," historic point of Sugar Loaf mountain. The public is invited to attend this meeting. The directors' report was read by Mrs. O. H. Stinson. Miss Loa Davis, home demonstration agent, notified the club that she was resigning after serving for three years. Miss Letler will take her place for the present. Mrs. Robert Gillespie, home furnishings chairman, gave a demonstration on home building and home furnishings. Mrs. Ernest Shriver gave some helpful hints on care of linoleum. The club adjourned to meet on April 28.

Drama Presented
Mrs. John Wagerman and daughters, Virginia Wagerman and Mrs. Roy Gelwick, of Baltimore, are spending some time in Florida. Miss Carolyn Cadle spent the past week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Cadle. Miss Helen Frailey, of Baltimore, was a guest over the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Frailey. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Eckenrode, DePaul street, attended the funeral on Friday of Mrs. Vincent O'Toole of Thurmont.

A drama presented by the junior commercial students of Saint Joseph's high school was given on Thursday in the school auditorium. The drama, "A Girl and Her Shadow," was given to show that a person must have control of self in order to succeed, not only in business, but in every undertaking during life; also that life is made up of little things and that every task is important no matter how insignificant. Those who took part were Gertrude Cool, Lois Hewitt, Ann Timmerman, James Kelly, Fred Sprankle, Helen Steinberger, Isabel Boney, Eugene Rosensteel and Leona Lings.

Trucker And Friend
Are Killed In Crash

Philadelphia, March 26 (AP)—Ralph Teti, a 35-year-old South Philadelphia truck driver, was killed and a companion seriously injured when a small delivery truck rammed head-on into a tree after skidding on Roosevelt boulevard.

William Stanton, 23, of Camden, N. J., who was riding with Teti, suffered a possible skull fracture and internal injuries in last night's accident.

FIX DEATH PENALTY
Lima, Peru, March 26 (AP)—The government of politically tense Peru decreed the death penalty yesterday for crimes of murder, acts endangering the lives of great numbers of persons or actions which would tend to bring all or part of the country "under foreign dominance."

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Mrs. Minnie Bream entertained the members of the Friday Evening club this week at her home on Chambersburg street.

Harvey Smith, Baltimore, is spending the week-end at his mother, Mrs. Charles H. Smith, West Broadway.

Miss Dorothy Gregg Lee, dean of women at Gettysburg college, is visiting friends at Millersville State Teachers' college over the week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter H. Danforth, West Broadway, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Philadelphia with their nephew and niece, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Rogers. While there they attended the Flower show.

Capt. and Mrs. Henry Hartman and daughters, Sandra and Patricia, have returned to Wayne after a visit with Capt. Hartman's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Hartman, Springs avenue.

Mrs. Harry F. Baughman, Springs avenue, has returned from a visit with friends at Germantown.

Mrs. Henry W. A. Hanson attended a shower which Miss Mary Haas gave this afternoon at her home in Harrisburg honoring Miss Barbara Esmer, whose marriage to Mrs. Hanson's son, Robert, will take place this spring.

The Friday Literary club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. Ellis Musselman, Springs avenue. The program was in charge of Mrs. Frank H. Kramer who reviewed Nella Gardner White's book, "No Trumpet Before Him." Mrs. Henry Duerst, Eau Claire, Wis., was a guest. The next meeting will be held Friday, April 8, at the home of Mrs. Parker Wagnild with Mrs. J. I. Burgoon in charge of the program.

Lt. Rebecca Harvey, Fort George G. Meade, is spending the week-end with Miss Betty Frazee, Howard street.

School Officials
Attend Conference

Philadelphia, March 26 (AP)—More than 5,000 administrative officers from state, county and city school systems are in Philadelphia today for the five-day regional conference of the American Association of School Administrators.

Louis P. Hoyer, superintendent of Philadelphia schools, opens the sessions (at 2 p. m. EST) during ceremonies at an exhibit in Convention Hall.

William E. Goslin, president of the AASA and superintendent of schools, Pasadena, Calif., will preside at the meeting.

Hoyer said the conference theme is "Education and the General Welfare."

William F. Russell, president of Columbia University's teachers' keynotes tomorrow's general session.

NAMES EISLER
LEADING RED
ON REVOLUTION

New York, March 26 (AP)—Gerhart Eisler says testimony given about him at the communist conspiracy trial is "100 per cent falsehood."

A witness yesterday named Eisler as the agent of the Communist International in this country.

The witness, Louis F. Budenz, former party official, said Eisler influenced the swing of U. S. communists to a "violent revolution policy" in 1945.

Eisler, who is not a defendant in the trial but who has been a frequent spectator, said last night: "Everything that Budenz says in regard to my alleged role in influencing the politics of the American communist party is 100 per cent falsehood."

Eisler, once named before a congressional committee as the No. 1 communist in America, said he did not come here "as a representative of the Comintern."

He said he "was forced to stay here" against his will, and that he "did not in any way mix into affairs" of U. S. communists.

The government has a deportation case pending against Eisler, but has delayed pushing it. He is free on bail.

Defendants at the trial are accused of conspiring to advocate forcible overthrow of the U. S. government. The trial resumes next Tuesday.

Property Transfers

John S. and Mabel R. Null, Cumberland township, sold to Walter S. and Mary Louise Null, same place, a property in Greenmount.

Ada Y. and Philip N. Porney, Hanover, sold to Larry E. and Kittie H. Stipe, Straban township, a 193 here property in Straban township.

Wedding

O'Brien—Myers

A candle-lit chapel colorfully decorated with various sprays of flowers, was the setting for the recent wedding of Dorothy May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Myers, East Berlin R. 2, and Dr. William Thomas O'Brien, Jr., Phoenix, Ariz. The couple was married by the Rev. Frank D. Klutz, formerly of Gettysburg, in the Lutheran chapel in Phoenix.

The maid of honor was Mrs. Ralph E. Graham, Paramount, Calif. Her husband, Dr. Graham, served as best man.

A reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. O'Brien, Phoenix. The newlyweds cut a five-tier wedding cake in the presence of 50 guests.

The bride, a graduate of East Berlin high school, class of 43, is a registered nurse, a graduate of the Germantown hospital and dispensary, Philadelphia. The bridegroom was graduated from the Hahnemann Medical college, Philadelphia. He served three years in the medical corps of the U. S. Army, as a captain. In June, he will complete a graduate course in surgery at the White Memorial Graduate hospital, Los Angeles, Calif., whereupon he will start his practice in Paramount, Calif.

The couple honeymooned in Tia Juana, Old Mexico, and are now residing at 3625 Flower street, Huntington Park, Calif.

DEATHS

Wayne D. Baker

Wayne David Baker, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Baker, New Oxford R. 2, died at the Warner hospital Friday afternoon at 3:05 o'clock from a complication of diseases. He was admitted to the hospital Tuesday. The lad had been in ill health since he was six months of age.

Surviving are his parents; six brothers and sisters, Anna Mae, Robert, Edward, Martha, Linda Lou and Ralph, all at home, and the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Shultis, Lancaster.

Funeral services Monday at 2 p. m. from the Bender funeral home conducted by the Rev. Floyd A. Carroll. Interment in Evergreen cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday evening after 7 o'clock.

TELL COUNTIANS

(Continued from Page 1) with concentration to all the evidence.

I must heed and follow the instructions of the Court.

I must respectfully and attentively follow the arguments of the lawyers, dispassionately seeking to find and follow the silver thread of truth through their conflicting assertions.

I must lay aside all bias and prejudice.

I must be led by my intelligence and not by my emotions.

I must respect the opinions of my fellow jurors, as they must respect mine, and in a spirit of tolerance and understanding must endeavor to bring the deliberations of the whole jury to agreement upon a verdict;—but I must never assent to a verdict which violates the instructions of the Court or which finds as a fact that which, under the evidence and in my conscience, I believe to be untrue.

In fine, I must apply the Golden Rule by putting myself impartially in the place of the plaintiff and of the defendant, remembering that although I am a juror today passing upon the rights of others, tomorrow I may be a litigant whose rights other jurors shall pass upon.

My verdict must do justice, for what is just is "true and righteous altogether"; and when my term of jury service is ended, I must leave it with my citizenship unscathed and my conscience clear.

WILL SENTENCE
SLAYER FRIDAY

Beaver, Pa., March 26 (AP)—John William Givens, 52, self-admitted hatchet slayer of two elderly farm hands two years ago is slated to learn his fate within a week.

Givens pleaded guilty to two murder charges in the deaths of Joseph Neugebauer, 73, and Matthew Magana, 70. Like Givens, the two men were employed as farm hands at Mt. Gallitzin Academy, a Catholic boys' school, near Baden, Pa.

Testifying briefly in his own defense, yesterday, Givens reiterated a statement police said he made shortly after he was arrested. He said he killed the men because he was "tired of being pushed around."

The slayings occurred within two days of each other in July, 1947. Givens disappeared shortly afterwards. He was arrested last December at Colorado Springs, Calif.

Texas, Louisiana, California and Oklahoma rank in that order in the production of natural gas.

CLEARING DECKS
FOR ACTION ON
LABOR MEASURE

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, March 26 (AP)—After many weeks of getting ready, Congress now has cleared the decks to pass a new labor law.

It may be months before that is done. Neither House nor Senate is yet ready to begin the big debate on what the law should be. But before there can be any new law at all, both houses must vote and agree on it.

These past weeks have been taken up by hearings in the House and Senate labor committees. Day after day and night after night labor leaders, labor experts and business men have trooped before the committees to say their say.

Truman Gave Pledge
President Truman's administration is pledged to wipe out the Taft-Hartley Act (or most of it) which the 80th Congress, controlled by Republicans, passed in 1947 to replace the old Wagner Labor Act, passed by the Democrats in 1935.

Mr. Truman's advisors presented Congress with a bill that would wipe out Taft-Hartley and restore the Wagner Act with some "improvements."

The job of the Labor committees, as in the case of any Congressional committee, is—to hear both sides of the argument on a bill, decide what it thinks is right or wrong, rewrite the bill if necessary, and then send up to the full House and Senate for a vote the kind of bill it thinks should be voted into law.

Democratic Control
Since Democrats have a majority in Congress, Democrats on both the House and Senate Labor committee had a controlling voice in what would be done.

And—when the hearings were over and all the witnesses had finished their arguments, the Democratic majority on both committees approved, unchanged, the bill which had the blessing of Mr. Truman's advisors.

The Senate committee did that a couple of weeks ago, the House committee on Thursday.

No One Is Betting
So it's their bill which now lies before both houses of Congress, waiting to be voted into law. Will Congress approve it, unchanged, just as the committees did?

Probably not. No one is betting it will. Why? Because plenty of Congressmen, particularly the Republicans, don't think the present bill goes far enough, that it's too one-sided in favor of unions.

And—a bill can be changed right on the floor of both houses, by voting amendments to it before vote is taken on the entire bill.

So don't be surprised if Congress finally votes for a new labor law a little different from the one Mr. Truman asked for.

3 Pittsburgh Men
Ordered To Appear

Washington, March 26 (AP)—Three Pittsburgh men have been ordered to appear before the House Un-American Activities committee April 26 to testify on the Slav Congress, an organization cited as subversive by Attorney General Clark.

They are Leo Fisher, Frank Borich and Timo Bobich. They bring to four the number of Pennsylvanians subpoenaed by the committee, which wants to find out whether Communists have seized control of the congress and have used it for spying purposes.

Steve Nelson, Communist party organizer for western Pennsylvania who has been accused by the committee of having engaged in atomic espionage on the west coast, had been notified earlier to appear before the group.

GOP PROMISES
TRUMAN HELP

Washington, March 26 (AP)—Republican help was promised the administration today by Senator Taft (R-Ohio) in passing housing, aid to education and school health bills.

But Taft, who heads the Senate GOP Policy Committee, told a Reporter he thinks most of the Republicans will line up against the Reciprocal Trade Agreements program.

Senate administration leaders are understood to have decided on new housing legislation as the next item in President Truman's program to be passed upon after the Senate disposes of the \$5,580,000,000 European Recovery Authorization bill next week.

Before that, however, the Senate must consider a deficiency appropriation bill carrying a controversial fund for a TVA steam plant. That and other issues may involve a couple of days of argument.

Taft and Chairman Maybank (D-S.C.) agreed that there should be little difficulty in getting the Senate to okay a measure calling for construction of up to 810,000 housing units over a six year period.

"We are going to give the administration some help on this," Taft said, adding with a grin: "It seems they're about to get around to passing the Taft program for housing, aid to education and school health."

Upper Communities

Included in a group of county

women who attended the Flower Show in Philadelphia this week were Mrs. Robert Shaffer, Mrs. Harry Haverstock, Mrs. Grace Bishop, Mrs. Gibson Kuntz, Mrs. Earl Garretson and Mrs. John Lawver, Biglerville; Mrs. Margie Ransdorf, Gettysburg; Mrs. Esther Coulson, Mrs. John Baish, Mrs. Howard Conley, Mrs. Elmer Hykes, Miss Evelyn Hykes, Mrs. James Behney, Susan Behney, Mrs. Clyde Group, Miss Basil Snyder, Miss Ina Bricker, Miss Esther Bricker, Mrs. William Leer, Mrs. Naomi Everhart, Mrs. Addie Speck, Mrs. Jerry Lerew, Mrs. Michael Leech, Mrs. Paul Junkins, Miss Rachel Gochenauer, Miss Esther Menges and Mrs. Maurice King, of the York Springs-Dillsburg area. Also included were Billy Coulson and Chester Behney. The trip was made by bus from York Springs.

Mrs. Andrew Maffett has returned to Michigan after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lupp, Biglerville. Pfc. Gilbert Lupp, who had been home on a 10-day furlough, has returned to Camp Kilmer, N. J. His mother is convalescing following a heart attack.

The date of the Bendersville firemen's supper and social has been changed from April 1 to Wednesday, April 6, at 7 p. m. in the community hall. All firemen and their families and members of the Ladies' Auxiliary are invited. Motion pictures will be shown and there will be special music by students from Biglerville high school. Park L. Kuntz and Melvin Bean are in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Robert Carey, Arendtsville, visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Weber, Lancaster, this week.

The Volunteer class of Zion Reformed Sunday school, Arendtsville, will meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the parish house with Mrs. Dorsey Martz and Mrs. Merle Culp as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heckenluber, Arendtsville, were business visitors in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. Thomas Yingst, accompanied by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hummelberger, Myerstown, attended the presentation of "The Gypsy Rover" by the Biglerville high school Friday evening as guests of her granddaughter, Miss Margaret Yost.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferrol Keller, Hershey, visited Mrs. Keller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carey, Arendtsville, this week.

HOUSE FACES
PENSIONS AGAIN

Washington, March 26 (AP)—A still dizzy House was back on the veterans pension merry-go-round today.

Rep. Rankin (D-Miss) stepped back to the controls yesterday to introduce a limited pension bill for veterans of World War I.

Only Thursday, after the House buried his multi-billion dollar pension bill for all World War I and II servicemen, a disappointed Rankin had said no pension legislation could pass at this session.

But just a day later he bounced back with his new proposal, introduced, he said, "by request." He said the American Legion and "many members" of the House Veterans committee, of which he is chairman, had urged the new bill.

Of its prospects, Rankin declared: "I'm making no predictions." Before his first bill got to the House, he had confidently forecast its passage by an overwhelming majority. Rankin told the House he hoped to have his new bill up for consideration "in a short time."

Whereas the Mississippian's first bill provided \$90 a month pensions at age 65 to all 18,800,000 World War I and II veterans, the second is considerably less inclusive and probably less costly.

Soviets Plan No
Currency Reform

Berlin, March 26 (AP)—The Russians said today they planned no currency reform in eastern Berlin or eastern Germany, and made it plain that the west mark is still taboo in the Soviet sector of Berlin.

The announcements were made through the Soviet-licensed Adm News Agency.

The Russians apparently felt the need to quell rumors that have persisted since the western powers outlawed the Soviet-backed east mark in the western sectors a week ago.

After the east mark was banned by the west, Russia encouraged Germans living in western sectors to come to the Russian sector and spend their east marks there. Western Germans were not searched for currency at Soviet roadblocks.

Washington, March 26 (AP)—Majority Leader Lucas (Ill.) today urged the Senate to stick to business and pass the new \$5,580,000 foreign aid program Monday. But Republican Floor Leader Wherry predicted that the bill will not be passed before Wednesday. He told reporters Republicans have a lot of amendments they want to offer.

Here And There

Newly Collected At Random

(Continued from Page 1) rations of two nurses over a period of two years.

Today Craig McLean, a veteran of four years in the navy, a survivor of the bloody assault on Iwo Jima, weighs 317 pounds, is six feet one inch tall and is a candidate for a varsity position on Coach Henry T. Bream's 1949 Orange and Blue football Bullets. He wants to play tackle.

Craig McLean says he doesn't know how he managed to survive. He can't understand how a baby so tiny could possible survive. He says his mother told him that he had wonderful care. Two nurses were on duty for one year and one remained on duty for a second year, until he "got over the hump" and started well on the road to normalcy. He said some of it must be luck.

His luck evidently held out for him through the war. In the invasion of Iwo Jima he served with medical corpsmen who carried blood plasma and other essentials of first aid and he was one of 11, out of a band of 92 who survived.

Football is not new to him. He played two years with the Pearl Harbor Navy All Stars and he played another season with the Fleet City team at San Pedro, according to his records. He says he likes to play on the offense but is not much interested in playing on the defense. His two chief weaknesses, he admits, are movies and ice cream. He also likes pretzels and Coca Cola.

McLean says his football playing weight is 265 pounds and he is now doing daily exercises in an attempt to "take off" 52 pounds. He's confident he'll "be in condition" before the opening game next September.

The Bullets are now going through spring training.

Pittsburgh Wins
Catholic Title

Pittsburgh, March 26 (AP)—Pittsburgh Central high school last night dethroned Allentown to win the Pennsylvania Catholic Interscholastic Athletic association Class B basketball championship.

The Steel City five, held on fairly even terms the first half, finished strongly to win, 54-42, before a partisan crowd of 2,800 at Pitt Stadium.

Pittsburgh was ahead, 24-20, at the half and 32-29 at the start of the final period. John Clancy led the victors with 16 points.

Allentown was weak at the foul line, making good on only 14 of 30 shots while Pittsburgh was converting 20 of 25. Pittsburgh scored 17 field goals in 63 tries while Allentown made good 14 of 61 efforts.

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Tax Proceeds From Sports Show Stolen
Philadelphia, March 26 (AP)—Alfred F. Smith, Jr., chief investigator for the city controller, says virtually all amusement tax proceeds from the 1948 Motorboat and Sportsmen's show at Convention Hall was stolen by an employee of the Receiver of Taxes office.
Smith told a five-member committee investigating impeachment proceedings against Receiver of Taxes W. Frank Marshall that only \$5.06 of \$6,313.40 in taxes was listed on the records as having been received from the licensee.
Smith said the person guilty of the theft "doctored the records" by making it appear that the Sportsmen's show licensee was issued to "a traveling hobby-horse show."
STORAGE STOCKS DOWN
Harrisburg, March 26 (AP)—Stocks of dairy and poultry food products in Pennsylvania cold storage houses took a drop during February, the state Agricultural department says. Decreases were reported on all items except shell eggs which showed only a slight seasonal increase of 1,000 cases of 30 dozen each during the month, to a total of 8,000 cases.
The devilish or giant octopus is the largest mollusk.
'AXIS SALLY' TO PRESS APPEAL
Washington, March 26 (AP)—"Axis Sally's" attorney said today he will press for quick action on her appeal from a treason conviction and a long prison term.
The attorney, James J. Laughlin, told a reporter he will ask the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals to hear arguments in May. Ordinarily, he said, arguments would not be heard before October or November.
After denying a motion for a new trial, Federal Judge Edward M. Curran yesterday sentenced Mildred E. Gillars, 48, to serve 10 to 30 years in prison. He also imposed a \$10,000 fine. A treason conviction also means loss of citizenship.
Laughlin immediately filed notice of appeal. His next step, he said, will be to file a brief in the appeals court—probably within 15 days—to support his contention that the Maine-born Miss Gillars did not get a fair trial.
Pending the outcome of her appeal, the silver-haired Miss Gillars will remain in the district jail here or be taken to the Women's reformatory at Lorton, Va., James V. Bennett, director of the Federal Bureau of Prisons, said.

AGGIES MEET WILDCATS FOR NCAA CROWN

By JACK HEWINS
Seattle, March 26 (AP)—There was no fear today in the hearts of the Oklahoma Aggies as they approached the zero hour in 1949 basketball.

Tonight at 10 or thereabouts they meet the Wildcats of Kentucky, rated one of the all-time greats among the elite teams of the collegiate hoop sport.

They try at 10 or thereabouts to lift the National Collegiate Athletic Association crown from the Wildcats and thereby take back home to Oklahoma—for the third time—the top prize of the court game.

Scalpers Busy
These men of Oklahoma A. & M. and Kentucky will scramble for the title after the champions of the Big Nine and the Pacific Coast wind up squabble for third and fourth places. With a sellout crowd jamming the University of Washington pavilion beyond its 12,000 seating capacity, Illinois and Oregon State will open the year's climax session at 8 p. m. (PST).

After the preliminary between the eastern and western regional runners-up, the Aggies and the Wildcats will be given 15 minutes to warm up before the whistle blows to start the major attraction.

So great is the basketball fever in this hoop-mad city that fans were offering sports writers two-figure greenery for their passes to the practice sessions. Tickets to the double bill itself were being "scalped" down town for \$20 to \$40 yesterday, with the price going up by the minute.

All tickets available at the regular price of \$3.50 per copy were gobbled up six weeks ago. Coaches Hank Hieb and Adolph Rupp pronounced their teams ready and eager for action. Neither was cocksure; both were confident.

Fights Last Night

New York — Jake Lamotta, 160½, New York, outpointed Robert Villmain, 158, France, 12.

Chicago — Ray "Sugar" Robinson, 154½, New York, outpointed Bobby Lee, 148½, Baltimore, 10. (non-title).

Hollywood, Calif. — Proctor Heinold, 128, Oklahoma City, outpointed Orlando Fernandez, 128, Havana, 10.

Syracuse, N. Y. — Nick Barone, 169, Syracuse, outpointed Joe Taylor, 160, Binghamton, 10.

Reading, Pa. — Charley Dotson, 156, Reading, outpointed Whitman Dorsch, 149, Philadelphia, 6.

Training Camp Briefs

(By The Associated Press)
St. Petersburg, Fla., March 26 (AP)—Joe DiMaggio, injured New York Yankee outfielder, is piling up quite a mark as a pinchhitter. DiMaggio singled yesterday in a pinch-hit role to start a three-run, seventh-inning rally against the Philadelphia Phillies in the Yanks' 6-0 triumph. DiMaggio has hit three singles and drawn four walks in nine trips to the plate as a pinch-hitter.

Havana, March 26 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics, only major league team to appear in Cuba this spring, received quite a reception last night. Some 8,000 turned out and cheered the A's and their manager, Connie Mack. The A's trounced the Havana Cubans, 10-3, with Ed Joost and Sam Chapman leading the way. Joost socked two doubles and a single and Chapman poked a 370-foot homer and a single.

Clearwater, Fla., March 26 (AP)—The Philadelphia Phillies, their bats stilled by the New York Yankees, planned an extra batting drill today before fangling with the St. Louis Cardinals. The Phils collected only two hits, against the Yanks and bowed 6-0.

Hollywood, Calif., March 26 (AP)—Manager Billy Meyer of the Pittsburgh Pirates is busy denying reports the club is planning to trade Shortstop Stan Rokj. "I think we have succeeded in putting together a good infield," said Meyer, "and it is built around Rocky and Danny Murtaugh."

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 26 (AP)—St. Louis Cardinal pitchers have run up a string of 18 scoreless innings against the Detroit Tigers. Youngsters Gerry Staley, Bill Reeder and Cloyd Boyer limited the Tigers to four hits yesterday in a 4-0 shutout. The previous day Veterans Ted Wilks and Al Brazie turned the trick.

CROWD HOWLS AT LAMOTTA WIN
New York, March 26 (AP)—Three fighting mad Frenchmen gave out with a Gallic version of "we wuz robbed" today and they had a lot of people on their side. Among them apparently is Eddie Eagan, chairman of the New York State Athletic Commission, who promised he would investigate the "wild official voting which gave Jake LaMotta, the 2-to-1 favorite, a split decision victory over Robert Villmain of France last night."

Obviously angered at the two-to-one vote in favor of the rusting Iron Man from the Bronx, Eagan said immediately after the 12-round Madison Square Garden contest that "the commission will look into the matter."

He will have an official protest laid on his desk as soon as Villmain's co-managers, Jean Bretonnel and George Kanter can get around to it.

"They gave the decision to the actor and not the fighter," Bretonnel said as he tried to soothe the disappointed little Villmain.

A crowd of 11,491 fans hooted and howled after the decision was announced. The fans gave the crestfallen, 24-year-old Frenchman a tremendous ovation, booed LaMotta lustily, and kept on jeering through the four-rounder that followed the main go.

Hockey At A Glance
(By The Associated Press)
TONIGHT'S PLAYOFF SCHEDULES
National League
Detroit at Montreal (Best of seven series tied, 1-1).
Boston at Toronto (Toronto leads best of seven series, 2-0).

American League
Providence at St. Louis (Providence leads best of seven series, 2-0).
Springfield at Cleveland (Best of three series tied, 1-1).

ASK SUIT DISMISSAL
Scranton, Pa., March 26 (AP)—Dismissal of a \$1,000,000 suit filed by a Glen Lyons, Pa., undertaker, has been asked by the Comerford Public Corp. Raymond Polinaszek claims he was falsely characterized in the film, "The Miracle of the Bells." Comerford Public contends in a petition filed in Federal court yesterday that the Federal court lacks jurisdiction in that the plaintiff and defendant both are Pennsylvania residents. The company operates theaters in Pennsylvania and New York.

Washington is the No. 1 state in the production of aluminum.

County Ball Stars Join Springfield
Robert V. (Bob) Weaver and George A. (Nitt) Kress, Jr., both of Littlestown, left Friday evening by train for Pine Bluff, Ark., where they will go into spring training with the Springfield, Ill., ball club in the Three I League which is class B baseball. Springfield is a farm club for the St. Louis Browns. Both boys signed contracts with the Browns last fall.

Weaver, who last year won sixteen games out of twenty trips to the mound, pitched Littlestown into pennant honors in the Penn-Maryland league for the past two consecutive years. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Weaver, M' street, Littlestown.

Hard hitting Nitt Kress, center fielder of the Littlestown club, closed the season last year with 415 average. Kress is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kress, Sr., Newark street, Littlestown.

3 PIAA GAMES THIS EVENING IN CAGE TUSSLE

Harrisburg, March 26 (AP)—Seven teams that have fought their way almost to the top in the PIAA Class A basketball scramble will lessen their number by three tonight.

It's a hard blow when you're knocked out in the regional semifinals but after tonight only York high school and the winners of the Allegheny-Westmont, and Bradford-Sharpville games in the west, and the Radnor-Old Forge set to in the east, will survive.

York gained its privileged position drawing a bye after its handy triumph over Whitehall at Hershey on Wednesday.

The White Roses face the winner of the Radnor-Old Forge set to in Penn's Palestra next Tuesday. Radnor, conqueror of Norristown, last year's state champion, has high hopes of providing the competition for York.

Old Forge Hopeful
Old Forge, however, has different plans for the District 1 hopefuls. The Forgers earned their way into tonight's game by licking Williamsport, District 4, the other night while Radnor was idle.

Allegheny seeks to hold its top billing in a game at McKeesport with Westmont, District 6 champion. The Quipmen are District 7 and WPAL titlists, and sport the only unmarked slate left among the contenders.

Westmont drew a bye on Wednesday when Allegheny ran away from Somerset 53 to 32.

At Farrell, Bradford, District 9, and Sharpville, District 10, tangle in a second western regional semifinal.

Bradford failed to see action this week, drawing a bye, while Sharpville eliminated South Hills, District 8 champions.

Winners of the two western games will meet in the final regional playoff next Tuesday scheduled tentatively for Farrell. The western champion meets the eastern winner for the state title in the Palestra, at Philadelphia, Saturday, April 2.

Class B Outlook
Four Class B teams advanced last night with Ashley looking like the class of the field. The District 2 kings ran away from Montoursville, District 4, at a 73 to 39 pace, at Lewisburg.

Montoursville never was in the game. Ashley stepped out to a 15-6 lead in the first period and held a 35 to 15 advantage at halftime. The losers were outscored in each of the four periods.

Meanwhile, Kutztown, District 3, nosed out Prospect Park, District 1, in the east's other Class B game. Ashley and Kutztown clash in the eastern final at Reading on Wednesday.

Everett, District 5, topped Oakmont, District 7, by a similar one-point margin at McKeesport. Final score was 43 to 42.

This was the west's only game of the night. Kane, District 9, drew a bye after defeating Rocky Grove, District 10.

New Oxford

New Oxford—Linda, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Berkheimer, and Nancy and Billy, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Stambaugh, all of Abbottstown, have been ill at their homes. Mrs. Berkheimer and Mrs. Stambaugh are sisters, formerly of here.

Mrs. James R. Weaver and family had as a week-end guest her youngest son, George J. Weaver, who has now returned to his position in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brashears and family had as recent guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Zudrell, York, formerly of Abbottstown.

Robert L. Donohue, a graduate of the local school and a war veteran, has begun his studies at the Bowman School of Clock and Watch Repair, Lancaster.

Local relatives and friends were among the large number attending the funeral of Miss Helen Wagner, Hanover, who died last week and was buried Friday morning with a requiem high mass at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Hanover. Interment was made in the church cemetery. Miss Wagner was a sister of the late Ambrose P. Wagner, this place, who died seven years ago.

M. R. Freed, who was seriously ill at the Hanover hospital for two weeks, has improved sufficiently to return to his home.

Miss Ruth Sponseller was hostess Monday evening at her home to the local home economics group. Chair caning was the subject studied.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fair, both of whom observe birthdays this month, were tendered a surprise party on Sunday at their home. Games and prizes were features of the day, with refreshments served from a table decorated with spring flowers and two large decorated cakes. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Griest and daughters, Betty and Lois Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fair, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Klingel and daughter, Linda Lee, Pfc. Lester Kindig, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fair and daughter Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stump, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fair, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weaver and Richard Weaver.

Garter, water and "keel-scaled" snakes do not lay eggs.

THINGS OF THE SOIL

By DAN F. VAN GORDER
The Gettysburg Times Agricultural Editor

Questions of our readers on lawns, flowers, vegetable growing, poultry, fruit, livestock and general agriculture will be answered by return personal letter without charges if a 3-cent stamp is enclosed.

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More Facts About Plant Lice
The following recommendations for control of plant lice (aphids), along with descriptive hints to help readers identify the principal pests, are intended chiefly to aid growers of apples, peaches, plums and cherries. First emphasis must be placed on combat when aphids are present before the leaves open. Therefore, these suggestions are extremely timely.

The rosy aphid is admittedly the most serious member of the plant louse group attacking apples. Eggs are laid in autumn around the buds of the fruit spurs, hatching about the time the buds open in the spring. Not only do rosy aphids cause apples to be gnarled and otherwise misshapen and worthless, but they feed on the small leaves immediately surrounding the fruits and cause the leaves to curl and often to die. Nicotine sulfate in the delayed-dormant spray recommended for apples is the best means of control. This kills the newly hatched aphids before the buds open to afford them protection from later sprays beneath the curling leaves. Too, if lime-sulphur concentrate is used as the base of this application, most of the unhatched aphid eggs will be destroyed.

The common green apple aphid hatches at about the same time the rosy aphids do. Therefore, the same combat advised to kill rosy aphids and destroy the unhatched eggs will also solve the green apple aphid problem. In both cases emphasis is placed on the importance of killing the pests before apple leaves open.

At least four species of aphids are likely to attack peach trees in the spring—the so-called rusty plum aphid, the black peach aphid, the green aphid (sometimes called spinach aphid), and the black cherry aphid. The black peach aphid lives mainly in peach roots, migrating to the terminal bud tips just about time buds are ready to open in order to start new colonies. The other species usually follow the common aphid pattern of overwintering in the egg stage and hatching about the time peach buds open.

If none of the regular peach sprays, as scheduled in the standardized peach spray program, are timed for the particular period when aphids congregate on the swelling bud tips, a special application of nicotine sulfate in soapy water is recommended. In all cases of aphid infestation just before peach buds open, growers should not fail to kill the pests off before leaves open. Not only do these pests weaken the fruiting twigs by sucking sap from the tender foliage, but they may actually destroy the blossoms.

Likewise at least three species of aphids attack plum trees, including the rusty plum aphid which also attacks peaches. Again, if the regular spray schedule provides no timed spray to kill the aphids off when they appear just before buds open, a special application of nicotine sulfate in soapy water is urgent to destroy the invaders before leaves open.

Eggs of the black cherry aphid may be seen fastened to old leaves over winter. It is seldom that this pest infests sour cherries, although it may be so numerous on sweet cherries that blossoms are destroyed and the young foliage curled and distorted by the feeding. The same pre-growth control as advised for control of aphids on peaches and plums is recommended for those on cherry trees. Waiting until the eggs hatch just about the time leaves open will render the nicotine-soap spray more effective.

FACTS ABOUT SPRAY SCHEDULES

As a result of many years of experience, most farmers, orchardists and gardeners know and follow standardized spraying schedules to protect their apples, peaches, cherries, plums, and grapes from insects and diseases. But despite the established practical rules these schedules serve, numerous persons are still confused about how far it is possible to adopt and practice standardized insect combat and disease prevention programs. Therefore, at the justified risk of repeating simple facts already well known by experienced growers, the editor reviews here the primary principles of insect combat and disease prevention rules.

This explanation is suggested by numerous requests which come to the editor's desk at this time of the year, such as this one: "Please send me a copy of your peach spray schedule, also a schedule for my vegetable garden."

Of course, it is entirely feasible to comply with the first part of this request because there is a standardized schedule of peach sprays, likewise there are similar schedules for other tree fruits and grapes. But it is practically impossible to work out a similar schedule for the vegetable garden. Here are the chief reasons: Spraying snap beans for example, no sprays are required except to combat the Mexican bean beetle. In this matter the insecticide is not

needed until the pests arrive. In some instances the beetles do not appear at all; perhaps in a nearby garden there are earlier or later infections. Thus, to recommend a standard spray or dust schedule would be as impractical as a doctor advising all persons to take the same kind of medicine at the same rate and time, regardless of whether they were sick or not.

In other words, it is possible and practical to foretell the insects likely to attack tree fruits or grapes from year to year, also to designate diseases quite certain to invade the crops. In addition, experience has made it possible to predict the approximate time each danger will appear. The standardized schedules are arranged on these predictions.

But no similar schedule can be devised for beans, cucumbers, beets, squashes, and most other vegetables. In fact, it is not easily possible to advise a set program of sprays for raspberries, blackberries or dewberries.

In all these cases, excepting tree fruits and grapes, the dangers must be met as they appear. If, for example, the striped cucumber beetle was numerous last year and caused considerable damage in cucumber and squash plantings, it may reasonably be expected this year. But there is absolutely no justification in combating it until it arrives.

The same is generally true of vegetable diseases. Certain plant ills can be prevented by rotations to avoid soil-borne disease organisms. Others are prevented by using clean seed to escape seed-borne diseases. Seed disinfection and soil sterilization are established gardening precautions worthy of study and practice. But when it comes to the use of insecticides to combat predacious pests and fungicides to prevent plant diseases, the gardener must be guided largely by his own garden's requirements.

Herein is found one of the major reasons why your newspaper furnishes its readers this free information service. Information about how to combat particular insect enemies and prevent particular plant diseases can be obtained at any time by writing the editor.

HOUSING PLAN TO BE OFFERED

Harrisburg, March 26 (AP)—Local communities would be given the choice of using their share of a \$15,000,000 state housing subsidy for slum clearance under proposed amendments to Gov. James H. Duff's housing plan.

An administration leader said today the proposed amendments will be submitted at an open meeting of the House state government committee next week. Thus far, the proposals have not been finally approved.

STATE ORDERS INSPECTION OF 1700 COAL PITS

Harrisburg, March 26 (AP)—The state Mines department has ordered a special examination of Pennsylvania's 1,700 coal mines following in the wake of the miners' two-week holiday.

Richard Maize, state mines secretary, said the purpose is to check on any safety hazards that might have developed in the mines during the work stoppage called by UMW Chief John L. Lewis.

Maize explained that at every mine an inspection is required by law each day before the men go to work.

"But after a long suspension," he said, "hazards develop that were not there or would have been taken care of during normal operations."

He said these include broken timbers, falls of rock and similar mishaps.

Clear Up Hazards
Maize estimated most of the inspections can be made in a day and any hazardous conditions cleared up before Monday.

The secretary also disclosed yesterday that local officials would play an important part in a projected plan to fight mine subsidence and fires.

An administration plan hinges on enactment by the legislature of a two-cent a ton statewide coal tax to foot the bill.

Nearly \$4,000,000 a year would be brought in by such a coal tax. The money would be spent flushing abandoned mines with clum to combat cave-ins and isolating mine fires by circling the area with deep trenches.

Maize warned that many areas are endangered at this moment by cave-ins and fires.

York Springs

York Springs — The Ladies' auxiliary of the local fire company held a meeting Tuesday evening at the community fire hall where plans were begun to assist in the preparation and serving of the coming banquet for the alumni of the local high school.

The local Girl Scout troop met during the week with three members addressing the group. They were Carole C. Koons, who discussed the history of Girl Scout work; Carolyn Snyder, whose topic was "When, Where and How to Care for the Flag of the United States," and Nadine Reinecker, who explained "Why We Pay Membership Dues to the National Girl Scout Association."

Volunteer workers recently resumed their labors on the building of the cabin to be used for activities of the local Boy and Girl Scout troops. Continued work on the project could not be done during the winter season. Anyone wishing to volunteer with service will be welcomed.

Among recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar J. Smith were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall, Prince Frederick, Md.; and their son, Roger W. Smith, Hanover, with his wife and son, Roger. Mrs. Hall is the former Miss T. Ruth Smith, this place.

The Mademoiselle club conducted a card party for the public Thursday evening at the community fire hall for the benefit of the local library and other Mademoiselle projects. Prizes were awarded and refreshments placed on sale throughout the evening.

SNELLENBURG RETIRES

Philadelphia, March 26 (AP)—Morton E. Snellenburg, 66, has retired as president of N. Snellenburg and Company. He held the post 33 years. Arthur Block, 67, senior vice president, succeeds Snellenburg. The retiring president is the son of the late Samuel Snellenburg, one of the founders of the department store. Block, also the son of one of the founders, has been vice president for 33 years.

Under the proposed amendments—drafted at the request of urban redevelopment authorities—any municipality by resolution could elect to use its share of the housing fund for slum clearance and the redevelopment of blighted areas.

In such an event, the state would be barred from making any other agreements for housing projects that would use up the funds available for allocation to the particular community.

Five Carlisle Ball Players Suspended

Five Carlisle high school athletes, who dubbed themselves the "Big Five," have been suspended from baseball for the entire season by Coach Harold Eckert in a stern disciplinary move.

The action of suspending the group for the season came after a fellow member of the baseball squad, John Anderson, was injured when he was allegedly "attacked" in fun by the "Big Five."

Suspended by Coach Harold Eckert were Veryl Piper, termed by high school officials as the "ringleader"; Creedin Pechart, Eddie Beltzhoover, Dick Bricker and Dick Shearer. The first four were members of the football squad, while Piper and Shearer also played basketball.

Honesdale, Pa., March 26 (AP)—The president and vice president of the Hussen Shoe company are now in the same family. President William Manowitz married Vice President Jordana Feiglin yesterday. They are en route to a Florida honeymoon.

Sport Shorts

London, March 26 (AP)—Cambridge raced from behind to win the 95th Oxford-Cambridge boat race by a quarter length today before crowds lining the banks of the circling Thames course.

The time was 18 minutes 57 seconds, one minute seven seconds slower than the record set by Cambridge last year.

Fort Collins, Colo., March 26 (AP)—Oklahoma A & M was in front by a mile at the start of the semi-finals today in the 19th National Collegiate Athletic association wrestling championships.

The Oklahomans, defending titleholders who've won the crown 15 times, last night qualified seven grapplers for the semi-finals. That was three more than the next best—Iowa State Teachers' College of Cedar Falls and Cornell college of Mount Vernon, Iowa.

Basketball Scores

Scholastic
By the (AP)

PCIAA Class A final (state championship): Pittsburgh Central 54, Allentown Central 42.

PIAA Class B Western Regional semifinal: Everett (District 5) 43, Oakmont (District 7) 42.

PIAA Class B (Eastern final): Kutztown 37, Prospect Park 36.

Pro basketball: Pottsville 82, Williamsport 68.

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Philadelphia, March 26 (AP)—Rural missionaries deplore the channeling of church funds into large city medical and educational institutions, to the neglect of rural areas, a missions leader said. J. Merle Davis of New York, research secretary of Agricultural Missions, Inc., told mission representatives of 20 major Protestant denominations yesterday that a survey showed the church is throwing its weight in the direction of the big city.

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Out Of The Past

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Star and Sentinel and
The Gettysburg Times
TEN YEARS AGO

Local Bank Marks 125th Anniversary: The Gettysburg National bank, oldest banking institution in Adams county, and among the oldest in the country, observed its 125th anniversary on Tuesday.

Alexander Cobean was the first president of the bank and John B. McPherson was cashier. Directors of the institution at various times have included Thaddeus Stevens, David Wills, David Kendlehart, William McSherry and other names prominent in the history of the community.

Name Manager of Thrift Plan: Robert C. Hartley, 29 Barlow street, will become manager of the Thrift Plan, Inc., of Gettysburg, when that corporation opens offices on the second floor of the former Weaver building on April 1.

Lecturer Here Explains Life In Gaspe Region: Customs and habits of the people of the Gaspe peninsula were outlined by John Henry Coon, noted lecturer, in an illustrated talk to students of Gettysburg college Tuesday morning in the Majestic theater.

Countians Wed In Virginia: The marriage of Miss Edith Funt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Funt, of Biglerville, and Charles Heller, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Heller, of Aspers, was solemnized Wednesday, March 15, at Winchester, Va., by the Rev. Mr. McKay, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The couple is living with the parents of the bridegroom, where Mr. Heller is associated with his father in the orchard business.

Deatrick - Laughman: George Michael Deatrick, Jr., son of Mrs. Mary Deatrick, 232 West Middle street, and Goldie Indiana Laughman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Laughman, Hanover R. 1, were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon about 3 o'clock in Hanover by the Rev. M. J. Roth. Mr. Deatrick is employed at the Hotel Gettysburg.

Typhoid Fever Cases Total 7: With the admittance of Ruth Kepner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Kepner, Gettysburg R. D., to the Warner hospital, five patients are now being treated for typhoid fever. There are two other cases reported in the county.

A brother, Bernard, and a sister, Anna, are patients at the hospital with the same malady. Leroy Miller and Roland Hankey have contracted the disease and are also patients at the hospital.

Barbara Ann Doerson is also ill with typhoid fever. Health Officer Harvey C. Bucher on Saturday said the illness of Janet Shields, 11, has been diagnosed as typhoid.

Ruth Franklin, Linn Myers Wed: Mrs. Ruth Franklin, Hagerstown, Md., and Linn Myers, of Pittsburgh, were married in Reno, Nev. The bride had as her matron of honor Mrs. Helen Stuart, of Los Angeles, Calif., and M. I. Funkhouser, brother of the bride, acted as best man.

The bridal party left Reno by air for San Francisco immediately following the ceremony, where they will attend the exposition.

Lions Club For Upper County Region Formed In Biglerville: A Lions club was organized Thursday evening by the professional men in upper Adams county. Thirty-five members will be enrolled. It will be known as the Upper Adams County Lions club with headquarters in Biglerville.

Prior to the meeting a dinner was enjoyed by the group at Fidler's restaurant. Addresses were made by the district governor, Harry R. Lenker, of York, "Bud" Smith, Edward Zinn, C. Paul Cessna and G. N. Walters.

These officers were elected: President, Leslie V. Stock; first vice president, G. E. Miller; second vice president, H. E. Pitzer; third vice president, Lloyd W. Kuhn; director, Clair Fohl, Joseph Boyer, W. C. Raffensperger and H. C. Gulden; secretary-treasurer, Row Martin;

Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS
THE COMMON TOUCH

In my newspaper I recently read of the death of a useful man, in which the writer referred to him as one who never lost the common touch with those about him. He was a very successful business man, interested in all the civic enterprises of his town, and a man who inspired all with whom he came in contact. Great wealth did not separate him from those of genuine character who were his friends. He was the friend of all.

With so many problems embroiling the earth, and with money so much the god of many, those with the common touch are rare. Yet how much more to be desired is this than merely to have attained great wealth or fame! He lives longest who has helped most to make people better and happier.

There is a universal spark of understanding that is kept ever alive, awaiting its opportunity to contact another, whose like spark may ignite a flame of love and hope that creates this thing which we term the common touch. And that contact becomes an event in the life of any one of us. Often this event has become historic!

I have referred before to the life of the late John Buchanan (Lord Tweedsmuir) and what a notable example of a man who had this rare quality of the common touch! His sympathy with writers of his time was with those who had this same common touch. Said Buchanan: "Lord Rutherford used to say that no conclusion which he ever reached was of any use to him until he could put it into plain English, into language understood by the ordinary man."

Mankind is getting too restless, too experimental, too full of fears. We are even speculating upon shooting a man to the Moon. What a journey that would be! Suppose they wouldn't want any of our kind up there — if there are any living ones there as inhabitants. We need the Moon as it is. What would lovers be without it? We need the common touch right here upon terra firma. Happiness is to be found among happy people—those with the common understanding and common touch.

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST
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TRAINING

Rain and sun by the Lord are sent, And earth will furnish the nourishment.

But the climbing rose on the lattice wide
Man and woman must train and guide.

Little there is that is left to chance
That can surely to pride and worth advance,
For the climbing rose will run astray
If nobody cares for it, day by day.

As with the flower, with a child 'tis so,
Some one must teach it the way to go.
For even the love of the Lord is vain
If no one is willing the child to train.

THE ALMANAC

March 24—Sun rises 6:59; sets 6:15.
Moon rises 4:00 a. m.
March 25—Sun rises 6:57; sets 6:16.
Moon rises 4:30 a. m.
MOON PHASES
March 29—New moon.

tail-twister, John Klinefelter, and lion tamer, Robert C. Noll. . . .

The following members of the local club were in attendance: G. W. Lefever, R. Z. Oyler, Roy W. Wentz, William A. Beales, J. Milton Bender, C. Paul Cessna, M. P. Hartzell, L. C. Keefeuer, R. H. Lipsey, S. H. Moyer, Wilmer Roth, C. Ross Shuman, H. H. Thomas, G. N. Waters, Dr. R. D. Wickerham and J. Francis Yake, Esk.

Europe Awaits Italy's Demands (By the Associated Press)—Europe's uneasy attention shifted today from Berlin to Rome as Germany set to work to put her enlarged house in order and the ambitions of Italy, her axis partner, came to the fore. Premier Mussolini was expected to make what may be a momentous address Sunday in which some observers expected him to present Italy's colonial demands on France.

British Prime Minister Chamberlain delayed further efforts to weld a "Stop Hitler" bloc until after Mussolini has spoken. . . .

Vandenberg 55 Today: Washington, March 22 (AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R, Mich.) spent a part of his 55th birthday anniversary today reiterating that he is not a candidate for the republican presidential nomination.

Apply For license: Glenn Walter Fettes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark L. Fettes, Menallen township, and Regina Marie Kuntz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parker L. Kuntz, Gardners R. D., have filed an application for a license to wed in the office of Clerk of the Courts Roy D. Renner.

Knights Templar Officer Elected: The annual election of officers was conducted Thursday evening by Gettysburg Commandery No. 79, Knights Templar.



Riding with Russell

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.
by FREDERICK C. RUSSELL
Member S.A.E.



Often an automobile tire turns out to be the hole of all its parts.

Unveiling The New

So many new features are popping up on the new cars it isn't any wonder that few observers have noted the trend toward mounting the windshield wiper motor on the engine side of the dash where you can really service it. Carburetors with horizontal air intakes are also among the newest, air entering the side instead of the top. One of the new carburetors has a complete inside that unscrews and lifts out of the shell or foundation. Then there is the car with oil filler pipe, dip stick and battery on the left side so that the man at the filling station can take it all from his pump side. Something that eliminates a problem in the adjusting of tappets is the self-locking valve pushrod which eliminates the locking nut. Enclosed front coil springs are back again, but improved. They include the front shock absorbers.

Give These A Break

Among those parts of the average car that seldom receives the benefit of more than casual consideration are the hand brake cable and the door hinges. Include in the list the stop-light switch which is screwed into the rear of the brake master cylinder and which could come loose. At each end of the anti-sway bar is a rubber bushing which should occasionally be lubricated with special rubber lubricant or

brake fluid, never petroleum oil. The propeller shaft is another unit which can cause trouble if universal joints are so worn it whips. Even the oil filler pipe should be cleaned out, otherwise it will partially clog and cause oil to be forced out under pressure.

"Bible" For Mechanics

William H. Crouse has done another book on automobiles, this time aiming at the folks who want to go into the automobile repair business or at least know all the story of the modern car from fan to differential. In more than 600 pages of text and pictures, Mr. Crouse takes the reader from the fundamentals to actual shop practice. He even pictures a lot of the newer equipment for use in putting cars in the pink of condition. At the end of each chapter there are review questions, and suggestions for further study. McGraw-Hill Book company, Inc., publishes it at \$5.00. Ask for "Automotive Mechanics."

Mechanic Joe Speaking:

"With many a motor enthusiast just itching to get at the spark plugs, it would be apropos for me to slip in the warning never to move the center electrode of a plug, for this will result in cracking the in-

ulator. Adjusting should be confined to the point which attaches to the shell of the plug, but herein lies another and more modern warning. "Due to the smaller size of modern plugs it is easy to twist the shell if overtightened when screwing the plug into the engine. Naturally this will change the position of the point that is joined to the shell and thus alter the gap."

Setting The Brakes

Odd as it seems few motorists set the hand brake the right way. Watch them do the job and invariably they stop the car, take both feet off the pedals and then pull up on the brake handle. All this is wrong where the hand brake operates through the rear service brakes.

To do the job properly just press hard on the brake pedal when pulling the hand brake back. This sets the rear brakes firmly. And when releasing the hand brake press hard

on the brake pedal. This rule, of course, does not apply where the hand brake operates on a drum at the forward end of the propeller shaft.

Did You Know That

Sway on turns is usually due to a loose stabilizer bar, although under-inflated tires will aggravate the situation?

Brake pull to the right or left is more pronounced the easier a car steers? Conversely if a car steers hard the front brakes may not be equalized even though the driver doesn't notice it.

Unequalized braking often is caused by a clogged brake line? This is something to look for where a car has seen considerable service.

Around The Motor Map

We may never get back to the cut glass flower vase for closed jobs but this year a lot of motorists will be showing their friends the more

home-like interiors of their new cars. . . . That shine on your clothing from too much riding can now be removed by a new fluid devised by those smart lads of the scientific world. . . . And speaking of upholstery did you know that some of the mystifying static electricity which develops in cars has been traced to friction of clothing against certain kinds of slip covers? . . . Just for what it's worth, consider the fact

that nearly five billion dollars are spent for repairs and service to cars annually. . . . Can this have anything to do with another fact that reveals fourteen million cars as being ten years or more old?

Test Valve Springs

Now that we are headed for the season of year when enthusiasts will rip off the cylinder head and go to work on the valves it should be (Please turn to Page 8)

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On Murder's Skirts

By Terry Adler

AP News Service

Chapter 7

"Well, let's see who's next on the list. Harold Fenton, Ph. D., instructor in Biology."

"Fenton—Fenton," Norton repeated the name. "Oh, yes, Fenton—a little mousy fellow. My goodness, is he still an instructor?"

"That's what it says."

"Why, he was an instructor under old Barker! After Hubbard became chairman Fenton left the university and went over to head the department at some small sectarian college—I've forgotten just where it was. Anyway, he was gone about a year and came back here about three years ago. You'd certainly think he'd be higher in rank than instructor by now!"

"Maybe he isn't much good," Norton queried. "But if he isn't any good, why would Hubbard have taken him back? I'm afraid there's more going on there than meets the eye."

"That dirty linen you mentioned a while back. I'll see what I can dig up tomorrow morning. Who else is connected with that puzzle factory?" Raff asked.

"I guess that's all the information I can offer. Apparently that constitutes the faculty. I see they have two graduate assistants, William Griffith and Edward J. Worden. Don't know them at all. Oh, and one graduate fellow, Paul Russell. I've seen Russell. He had an interview with me when he was planning to go to medical school. Gave up the idea, though, when he got this fellowship. As I remember, he's rather a handsome chap and has a fairly nice personality. Haven't seen him for several years, though." He closed the book and looked at his watch. "I guess we have time for another quick one before the train pulls in."

When they'd finished Raff walked Norton to the train. As he got aboard Raff said:

"Hop your paper is a success, Chief. And don't worry about things here. I'll have that talk with Bray at nine-thirty tomorrow morning."

Rafferty finished breakfast and got up from the table in the hospital cafeteria. He pulled a cigarette out of his pocket and walked over to the coat rack to get his coat. He looked at his watch. It was ten minutes to nine.

It was snowing when he got outside the hospital. He decided against walking over to the main campus and went around the back of the building to get his car. Six minutes later he parked the car in front of the Biology Building. He walked down the path, went inside and paused long enough to stamp the snow from his shoes.

Near the stairs there was the usual bulletin board and a directory. Raff stopped to look at it. Ah, there it was, Donald C. Bray, Associate Professor, Room 306. He mounted the steps, a little eager now for what was ahead. When he reached the top, he walked directly across the hall and knocked on the door. No one answered. He tried the knob, pushed the door open and walked into the room. He stopped short.

The man at the desk was sitting in his shirt-sleeves. One of them was rolled up. A hypodermic syringe lay propped against the arm. The needle end was stuck under the skin. The man looked as if he were in a hurry. Except that he wasn't. He was quite dead.

"Holy Smoke," Raff swore softly. He went up to the body. The face of the man looked vaguely familiar, but Raff was more concerned with the mottled gray appearance of the man's skin. He noticed particularly the purple color of the inner corner of the eyes and of the lips.

He bent forward and sniffed. Bitter almonds. He straightened up and stared very thoughtfully at the syringe. Near the outstretched arm was a typewritten note:

This is the only way out for me. Fenton can take over my classes.

Donald Bray

Raff looked from the note to the syringe, turned quickly and went to the door. The corridor was still deserted. Making sure that the door behind him was closed, Raff left the room and walked down the corridor. At the other end of the long hall there was an open door. He looked in and then paused. What he saw was a girl standing in her stocking feet in the middle of the floor. She was busily pulling at one of her gashaws, trying to free her shoe.

In a flash Raff remembered where he had seen Bray before. He said nothing while he watched her. He could see that she was very pretty, now that her hair was combed. It was black hair and combed very simply from a center part. It hung straight and soft where it reached her shoulders and contrasted with her green sweater. She'd twisted her head and had pulled up her skirt in

order to adjust the seams of her stockings when she caught sight of Raff.

"Did you want to see someone?" She was more embarrassed than annoyed.

"I'm in no hurry. Go right ahead," he said amiably.

Her eyes widened as he spoke. To Raff they looked like something nice encircled with black fringe. She broke into a cheery smile and a dimple appeared in each cheek.

"Well, hello! If it isn't the reluctant Lochinvar!"

He came into the room and smiled at her.

Chapter 8

"I was wondering whether you would remember our previous meeting," Raff said in a low tone.

She laughed somewhat ruefully and stepped into her shoes.

"Rest assured, I'm not apt to forget it for a long time."

"Oh?" He looked at her inquiringly. "I am sorry. It didn't occur to me that the situation was really a serious one."

"Well, it really wasn't."

"Then it was a secret sorority ritual?"

"Oh, no that wasn't it at all."

He glanced casually around the room but watched her carefully out of the corner of his eyes.

"What was it—just a lovers' quarrel?" he asked.

Her laugh rang out merrily. "Good heavens, no!"

She reached into a pocket of her dark green skirt and brought out a pack of cigarettes.

"Now that we're no longer enemies you may have a cigarette."

He took the proffered cigarette. "Thank you. That's what I call being really friendly."

He struck a match and held it to her cigarette. There was a clean, soap and water odor about her. Certainly not the type to be mixed up in a murder.

And yet—

"Tell me, now that we no longer are enemies," he said, "what was it all about?"

"It was really nothing," she protested. "I was just being silly."

He sighed. "Call it that. What puzzles me is why you want to make yourself out a woman of deep mystery."

"I'm really not very mysterious. There's my name on the door, 'Ellen Carter,' and I'm the secretary of the department. Which reminds me—is there anything I can do for you, Mr.—"

"Rafferty. Dennis Rafferty. I'm a surgeon at the University Hospital."

Ellen bowed deeply. "We are honored, Dr. Rafferty."

Raff laughed in spite of himself. "Score one, I guess I asked for that."

"Seriously, can I help you any?"

"I have an appointment with Dr. Bray. I knocked at his door but there was no answer. If you have no objections, Miss Carter, I'd like to wait here."

At the mention of Bray's name Ellen took on an apprehensive look.

"Of course there's no objection to your waiting here. But, Dr. Rafferty, would you mind not saying anything—Well, put it this way. It would cause no end of embarrassment if you were to mention our previous meeting to Dr. Bray. Especially—there was a chuckle in her voice—"your theory of a lovers' quarrel. Honestly, it wasn't that, and if you say anything about it he is going to be terribly disturbed."

"I'm afraid I don't understand. What connection does Dr. Bray have with that?"

"Oh—well, maybe you didn't see him. It was Dr. Bray I was trying to avoid that night."

Raff was perplexed. Why was she making this damaging admission? Either she was innocently naive, or she was downright clever.

"I see," he said thoughtfully. "Well, I think I can promise you that I won't mention a word of it to Dr. Bray."

"Contrary to my first impression, you're really very nice," she said. Suddenly there was a loud shout from the hall. "Miss Carter!"

Ellen looked up annoyed. "That boy," she muttered. "I suppose there's one in every department."

There was the sound of heavy running feet and a boy appeared in the doorway.

"Eddie Worden, just what do you mean by shouting—" One glance at Worden and Ellen stopped short.

He was a tall, gangly youth with reddish hair. The freckles on his face seemed to dance at least a quarter of an inch in front of his skin. He appeared very agitated and his Adam's apple moved up and down quickly in his scrawny neck.

"Miss Carter," his voice was pitched high with excitement, "you'd better come here quick! Something awful has happened!"

"Now what?" It was a voice of

resignation as she got up to follow him. Worden had already started down the hall.

"I went in there to use the typewriter—" The fragment of sentence reached Raff's ears as he sat down in a chair. He doused his cigarette in the ash tray and reached for the telephone. He called the hospital and asked for the morgue.

"This is Rafferty. I'm over in the Biology Department on the main campus. Will you send the wagon over? ... Man by the name of Bray ... Cyanide. No ... a hypo ... about ten hours ago. The body's in Room 306." He hung up. He was occupied with his own grim thoughts when he heard Ellen's shoes, beating a staccato rhythm as she ran back. She was very white.

"Didn't you say you were a doctor? Would you come here, please?" she asked breathlessly.

"I don't think there is any need for a doctor," he said quietly.

"Please! I'm not joking. Hurry!" "I realize this is no joking matter. You see, he's quite dead. In fact, I'd say he's been dead for several hours."

She stared at him incredulously. "How do you happen to know so much about it?"

"I saw him exactly"—he glanced at his watch—"ten minutes ago."

"But you said that he wasn't there!"

"What I actually said was that there was no answer to my knock."

Chapter 9

"Do you mean to say," said Ellen, "that you knew he was dead and yet you've been sitting here all this time without saying a word about it?"

"I didn't see that talking about it would help matters any. I called the morgue as soon as I could."

She looked at him, shock and disbelief covering her features.

"What kind of person are you, anyway?" There was hate in her voice and the tears were spilling over her cheeks unheeded. "I suppose he's just another specimen to you. I suppose it didn't occur to you that he might have been a real live human being and that he might have had friends who care what happened to him. Sure, I know you called the morgue. 'Come on over boys. There's a body here!' You make sick. You know what you are

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—you're nothing but a cold legalized ghoul!"

At this point Dr. Fenton walked in the room.

"Ellen, Worden was just in my office. Is this terrible thing really true?" It was a low pitched voice, almost a murmur, and Raff looked up to see a slight, sandy-haired man with thick glasses.

"I'm afraid it is, Dr. Fenton." Ellen was still saying, "Dr. Rafferty here has already called the morgue."

"I sent Worden to notify the dean. He brought me the note that he left." In his hands he had the typewritten note Raff had seen on Bray's desk. Fenton looked at the piece of paper and then at Raff.

"Is he all—I mean—how did he die?" Fenton hesitated.

"No," volunteered Raff. "It was cyanide, administered by hypo." He watched Fenton closely as he gave him the information.

Fenton shuddered. "May the Lord have mercy on his soul," he murmured.

There was a silence for a few minutes, and to Raff the other two seemed numb.

Finally Ellen said, "I'd better call Mrs. Bray." Her voice was dull and expressionless.

She reached for the telephone reluctantly. Raff stopped her.

"I'll tell Mrs. Bray, but I think it would be kinder to tell her personally. My car is downstairs, and if you come with me we can go over there now."

She looked at him with suspicion. "Why this sudden desire to be

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so kind?"

"I'm not a complete heel," he said. Besides, he thought, it's a good chance to get you alone where you can explain a thing or three.

As he maneuvered the car out of the parking space he found himself thinking that coat of hers must have cost plenty.

Raff turned from her and stared straight ahead.

"I'm sorry if I appeared so inhumanly unconcerned."

Ellen said nothing.

"You see, it was very important that I made sure that I was the first one to discover the body," he explained.

"Why? Was someone offering a prize?" There was contempt in her voice, but at least she was listening.

He slowed down, pulled the car over the curb, and turned to look full into her face.

"I didn't know Bray," he said very deliberately. "But I know a phony suicide when I see one."

"Phony!" Her eyes widened.

"I'm afraid so."

"But why? I mean—how do you know?"

"It's very simple, Miss Carter. When I walked into Bray's room there were no lights on. I would judge that he had been dead for

about nine or ten hours. That means he died around midnight last night.

Do you see now why it's a phony set-up?"

She shook her head. "No, I don't get the connection at all."

"You've probably never tried to administer a hypodermic. But I can tell you that a man just can't sit down in total darkness and poke a needle into his vein. Certainly not as neatly as the one lodged in Bray's arm! And I can also tell you that a man who has just committed suicide is in no condition to get up and turn the lights. No, Miss Carter, someone—someone very much alive—turned out those lights after Bray was dead. Of course, it could have been the janitor, or anyone else who innocently wandered into Bray's room. But in that case, why keep quiet about it? When I walked through the hall toward your office everything was nice and quiet. No commotion, nobody had found a dead body. That's why I didn't say anything to you. I wanted to find out for sure whether someone had accidentally gone into Bray's room this morning and found him there. You see, there's only one person who would have turned out the lights and kept quiet about it."

"Who?"

"The murderer, of course."

"Murderer!"

"Yes, I think it's murder. It was rigged up to look like suicide."

"But you don't suppose Professor Bray would have sat meekly by while someone murdered him! Wouldn't he have put up a struggle?"

"My hunch is that someone—the murderer—poked that needle into Bray any place he could, probably in the back when Bray wasn't looking. And after Bray was dead it was easy enough to arrange the body any way at all."

"But all this is just a hunch. You really can't ever know." It was almost a question.

He regarded her soberly.

"Miss Carter," he said softly, "if the autopsy shows another puncture mark somewhere on the body, we'll know."

A small sigh escaped her.

"I'm glad! It sounds crazy, but I'm glad! He just wasn't the type to shirk responsibility. The Brays haven't any money, and his little boy has been sick for over a year. He was the nicest, kindest person I've ever known."

She buried her face in her hands. Raff pulled out a handkerchief from his pocket and gave it to her.

It's funny, he thought, I'm supposed to be out saving lives, and here I am hoping that this is really murder!

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EXILE THINKS REDS MAY SEEK SPITZBERGEN

By SIGRID ARNE

(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)
Just what Moscow will do in answer to the North Atlantic Pact is the subject of a good deal of wary watching here where the pact is due to be signed.

Soviet propagandists already are busy at work denouncing the pact as a "war pact" and a "new holy alliance" threatening the safety of the Soviet Union and its satellites.

But diplomatic gossip here wonders whether that will be enough for the Kremlin masters.

One of Europe's most seasoned diplomats thinks not. He is an exile, living in Washington now, and can't be identified because his family is still behind the Iron Curtain.

He told this reporter that he expects Russia to take some action to bring Spitzbergen under the Red flag. He was in London during World War II and remembers the ripple that ran through London's diplomatic row when the Russians announced they would be willing to occupy Spitzbergen to keep that big group of Arctic islands out of German hands.

Was Jointly Protested
At that time the final decision was to leave the islands under the joint protection of the Norwegians and the Russians.

Why the worry about Spitzbergen? Where is it? Who runs it?

Spitzbergen is the largest in a group of islands that lie halfway between Norway's most northerly tip and the North Pole. They are under Norwegian rule through a decision of the World War I allies. Norway took over in August, 1925. Before that the geographers had known Spitzbergen as "terra nullius"; that is, "land belonging to no one."

Under the World War I agreement it could not be fortified and its development was open to anyone who wanted to take the gamble. It does turn out some coal. Both Norwegian and Russian mine concessions are operated there.

Its harbors are ice-locked except during the short northern summer of the midnight sun.

Weather Stations
But Spitzbergen has two things that are important in a world where two great blocs of nations are at odds. It has weather stations which, under the World War I agreement, give their findings freely to anyone who needs them.

Much more importantly, it is within fairly easy bomber range of important European cities.

Spitzbergen in Russian hands would make the North Atlantic powers feel unsafe. Russian planes, based there, would be within equally easy striking distance of that famous, deep-water home of the British fleet, Scapa Flow, an island-locked harbor just north of Scotland.

For that reason any proposal regarding Spitzbergen coming out of the Kremlin is expected to bring about a quick closing of the ranks among the western partners.

Littlestown

Littlestown—Further plans for the annual Easter egg hunt for the children of Littlestown and vicinity, sponsored by the Ocker-Snyder Post No. 321, American Legion, were discussed at the semi-monthly meeting of the post Tuesday evening in the post home on East King street. The egg hunt will be held on Easter Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at a place to be announced later. The committee in charge of arrangements is composed of Clarence J. Krichen, Sr., Joseph P. Long and Harold Krichen. James Fager presented a brief resume of the proceedings of the district meeting held in York last week. Local Legionnaires who attended the meeting included Mr. Fager, Richard A. Long and Wayne Arnold. The meeting on Thursday evening was in charge of Commander Clarence J. Krichen, Sr. In addition to the adjutants report by Francis J. Will, other routine business was transacted.

Troop 14, Littlestown Girl Scouts, met on Wednesday evening at the fire engine house, with the leaders, Mrs. Leroy Helwig and Mrs. Ray Harner, supervising. The meeting opened with the Girl Scout pledge and promise and the group singing of America. The members of the troop divided into couples and each couple drew the name of a girl from a foreign country, who will become the pen pal of the couple. The names were provided through Girl Scout headquarters. There was a continuation of the discussion and work on the photography badge and notebook by the group. At the meeting next week, to be held on Thursday at 7 o'clock at the fire engine house, L. Rober Crouse, of the Photo shop, will be the guest speaker and will discuss photography in connection with the work which the girls are doing to earn their badges.

There will be a meeting of the intermediate and senior girl scout troop committee, together with the troop leaders, at the home of Mrs. Leon H. Gage, near town, on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Rev. John C. Brumbach, Littlestown, conducted burial services this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Feiser funeral home, Hanover, for Charles L. N. Lesse, 67, a native of Union township, who died Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in a Littlestown hospital, where he had

Cow Tester's Report---

Report of Dairy Herd Improvement Association for February, by Charles Klinger, Test Circuit No. 1, and Fred McGee, Tester Circuit No. 2.

There were 20 herds tested, with 26 days worked; 414 cows in milk; 129 cows dry; four sold for non-dairy purposes; one cow bought; 58 records reported on 718 cards; 84 cows produced over 40 pounds fat; 32 cows produced over 50 pounds fat; 108 cows produced over 1,000 pounds milk; 60 cows produced over 1,200 pounds milk.

Following are the 10 highest producing in butterfat for the month.

Owner	Breed	Lbs. Fat
B. J. Griffe, York Springs R. 2	R.H.	80.0
Charles B. Spicer, Gettysburg R. 4	R.A.	74.1
Charles B. Spicer, Gettysburg R. 4	R.A.	70.3
Russell H. Grove, Gardners R. 2	R.H.	69.2
A. Irvin Hostetter, Hanover R. 4	R.H.	64.7
Walter L. Hay, Gettysburg R. 3	Mix	63.9
A. Irvin Hostetter, Hanover R. 4	R.H.	61.7
Wade Brown, Littlestown	R.H.	58.9
L. Jacobs & Wm. Smith, Hanover	R.H.	58.6
Indian Pipe Farm, Biglerville	P.H.	57.6

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Owner	No. of Cows	Lbs. Fat
B. J. Griffe, York Springs R. 2	11	43.5
J. K. Mansberger, York Springs R. 2	10	36.2
L. Jacobs & Wm. Smith, Hanover	39	32.4
Walter L. Hay, Gettysburg R. 3	23	32.4
Russell H. Grove, Gardners R. 2	14	30.2

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Reg. No.	Calving Date	Days in Milk	Milk	Butterfat
Wade Brown, Littlestown				
4-18-48	305	12,283		477.9
Friends Creek Dairy Farm, Fairfield R. 2				
5-16-48	278	7,109		322.7
3-11-48	305	8,367		334.3
1-30-48	305	10,092		323.7
2-25-48	247	8,850		329.9
3-4-48	305	7,963		319.5
Alvin Gerrick, Littlestown R. 2				
3-29-48	305	8,458		458.4
2-11-48	305	13,672		542.9
3-19-48	305	8,399		464.5
A. Irvin Hostetter, Hanover R. 4				
4-4-48	305	10,069		435.5
Lester Jacobs and Wm. Smith, Hanover				
11-4-47	289	8,368		324.0
3-27-48	298	8,850		309.0
1-1-48	282	9,164		312.5
3-24-48	270	9,757		308.6
2-5-47	258	9,971		342.6
11-12-27	305	9,305		345.9
12-21-47	283	10,010		341.7
4-25-48	281	10,227		318.6
1-24-48	305	9,815		377.1
11-6-47	305	10,739		393.3
1-17-48	305	11,120		341.8
2-28-48	305	11,705		377.5
John Lucabaugh, Hanover R. 3				
1-29-48	305	8,511		304.6
Charles B. Spicer, Gettysburg R. 4				
4-25-48	281	9,754		409.2
319869	4-13-48	305	11,390	440.7
274309	4-24-48	282	12,218	428.5
319874	4-9-48	305	9,453	398.3
290031	4-28-48	305	9,988	366.6
240640	4-8-48	298	10,050	422.5
Edgar W. Weaver, Gettysburg R. 4				
3-6-48	305	8,090		320.2

East Berlin

East Berlin—The mission being given this week for the parishioners of Paradise Catholic church by the Rev. P. F. Murray, S.J., at the Paradise Rectory chapel was well attended at all services from the beginning. The week of services will formally close Sunday evening at the 7:30 o'clock service, consisting of a short instruction, Rosary, sermon and Benediction of the Blessed sacrament. Persons from other parishes, as well as non-Catholics, are welcome. There was also a 3-day mission given this week by Father Murray for the children of the parish, and a special blessing was given preschool children at the chapel Friday afternoon.

Carol Jean and Cathy Jo, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Otto, Berlin Heights, are able to be about their home after several weeks of illness. The children contracted measles and later developed ear conditions that confined them to bed. Mr. Otto's aunt, who resides with the family, is also able to be up after a critical illness of several weeks.

Mrs. Bertha Kerchner, West York, formerly of here, is a patient at the York hospital after suffering a hip fracture in a fall while preparing at her home to visit a nephew, Herbert B. Wolf, York, also formerly of here, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Balek, near town, are hosts to Mrs. Balek's mother from York who will spend some time with them.

At the recent meeting of the local

been a patient since January 3. Interment was in the Christ Reformed church cemetery, near Littlestown. Serving as pallbearers were Tolbert Sterner, John Jacobs, Paul Chronister, Sr., Lawrence Reeve, Henry Huff and George Gordon.

Funeral services were held this morning at 10 o'clock at the Feiser funeral parlor, Hanover, for Mrs. Bertha May Long, 67, widow of Edgar Paul Long, and a native of Adams county, who died Wednesday at 8:15 p. m. at her home in Hanover, following a lingering illness. Services were in charge of her pastor, the Rev. Paul Levi Fouk, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Hanover, with interment in Mt. Carmel cemetery, Littlestown. Pallbearers were Edgar Mehrling, Walter Mehrling, William Mehrling, Burnell Cline, Roger Cline and John Cline, all nephews of the deceased.

There will be a meeting of the directors, the president, the vice president and the manager of the Littlestown baseball club, Monday at 7:30 p. m., at George's restaurant, Newark street.

There will be a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday evening at the fire engine house at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served and movies will be shown.

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Fish and Game association, 58 members were present to file pheasant applications and to make plans to form a clay bird league. It was reported that 2,350 trout were stocked. Motion pictures and refreshments were features of the meeting.

Christine, Carole, Stephen and Cecelia, children of Dr. and Mrs. Burnell H. Grim, Hampton, have recovered from recent attacks of measles.

A recent visitor to the home of Mrs. Levi C. Gentzler, 88, who is now bedfast with the infirmities of age, was her granddaughter, Miss

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Dorothy M. Nitchman, York, Miss Nitchman was recently graduated as an honor student from the science department of Susquehanna university, Selinsgrove.

Wilbert Sowers, who has been seriously ill, submitted to an operation during the week at the Hanover hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Myers, R. 2, have received word from their recently married son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. William T. O'Brien, Jr., that they are making their home at Huntington, Calif., where the bride, formerly Miss Dorothy M. Myers, is resuming her duties as a registered nurse, and where Dr. O'Brien, formerly an army physician, has been taking a graduate course in surgery.

Mrs. Robert E. Phillips, who spent the winter at the home of her son, Harper J. Phillips, and family, has reopened her own home to reside there until next fall.

Mrs. G. J. Otto entertained at her home on Tuesday afternoon in celebration of the 11th birthday of her eldest daughter, Lynda Ann. Friends in the neighborhood, with Lynda's classmates from the Paradise parochial school, made up the guests. The Otto family moved here in January from Connecticut when Mr. Otto's business transferred him to York.

Joyce, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Balek, near town, is im-

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proved after a recent illness that confined her to bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Hofman, near Red Run church, announced the birth of a daughter, Judith Ann, at the Hanover hospital last week.

Miss Betty J. Lerew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul P. Lerew, left by auto on Tuesday to spend some time in Key West, Fla.

Lester M. Doyle, Sr., son, Fred, Hanover R. 2, visited during the week at the home of Mrs. Doyle's mother, Mrs. Garcia Bechtel Kunkel, and family, R. 3. Mr. Doyle is a former resident of this section, as is his wife, formerly Miss Kathryn Kunkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Lebo, near Carlisle, recently announced the birth of their first child, a daughter, Joan Dianne. Mr. Lebo is a son of Mr. and Mrs. David Lebo,

Conferees Work On Rent Issues

Washington, March 26 (AP)—Senate and House conferees tackled the job Friday of ironing out "home rule" and other differences between the separate rent bills passed by the

formerly of R. 3, now of near Carlisle; and the mother is the former Miss Zelma R. Eisenhart, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira A. Eisenhart, near Mummert's Meeting House. The Eisenharts also have another recently born grandchild, Curtis LeRoy Lamparter, son of Eugene and Doris V. Eisenhart Lamparter, Dover. This is the Lamparters' second child, both of whom are sons. These families were all among recent guests at the Eisenhart home.

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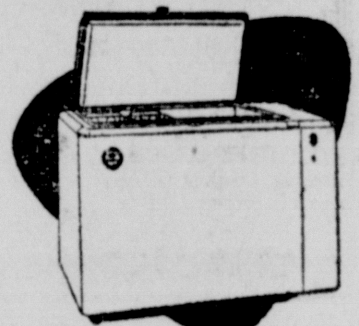
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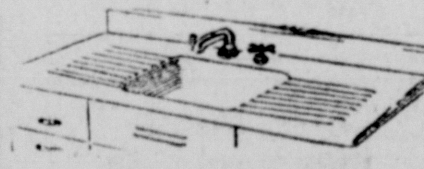
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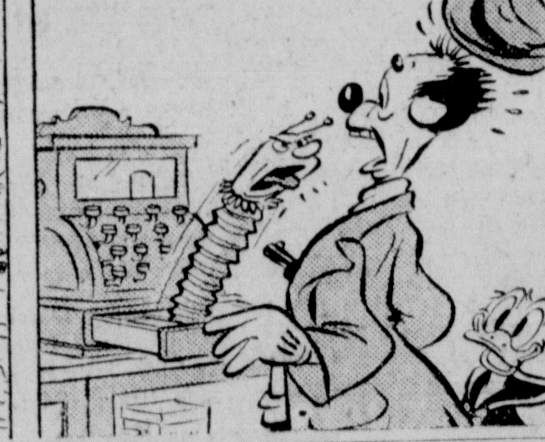
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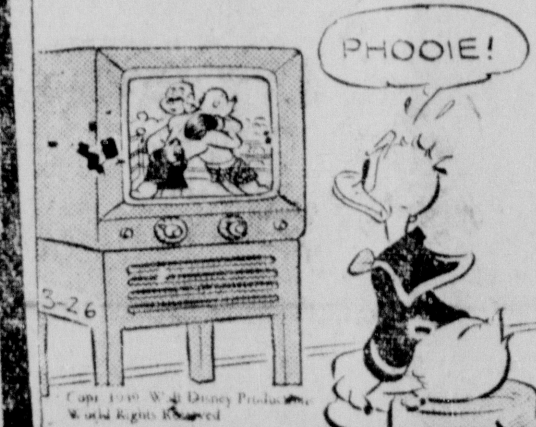
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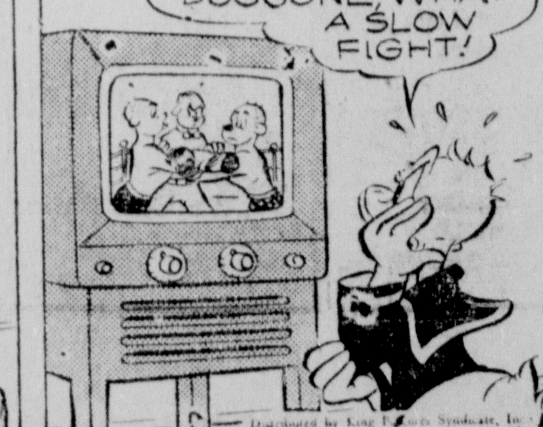
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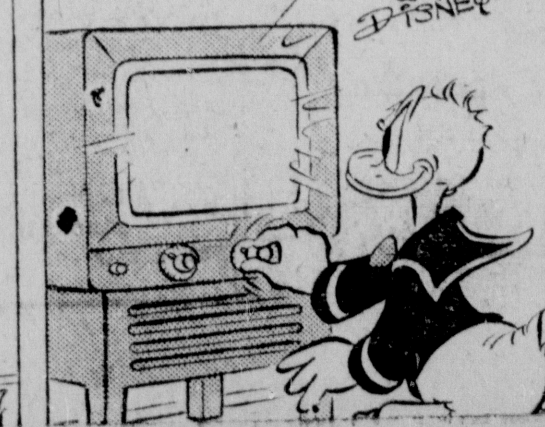
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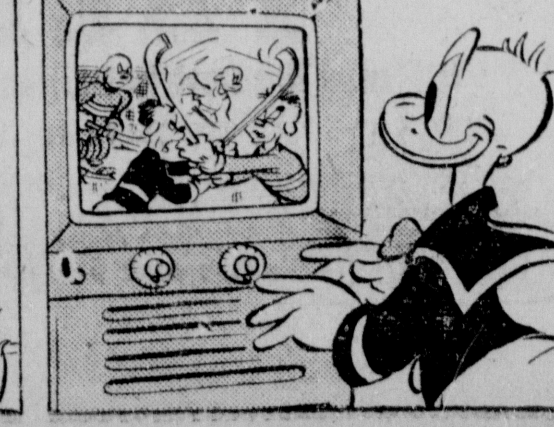
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two branches of Congress.

Hanging over the conference group is the expiration of the present rent control law next Thursday, March 31.

The House bill would continue controls 15 months. The Senate measure calls for a 12- to 15-month extension.

But there are other sharper differences. For example, the Senate bill lets states, cities and towns junk federal rent curbs at any time, pro-

vided the governor approves. However, a state Legislature could pass a decontrol measure over the governor's veto. The House bill, on the other hand, allows states, counties, cities and towns to remove controls, and it makes no provision for approval by the governor.

If Alaska becomes the 49th state in the union, it will also be the largest.

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HORSE DRAWN EQUIPMENT
Six plows; 4 cultivators; 2 mowers.

MISCELLANEOUS
Rotary scoop, like new, 10 in. burrow; fodder cutter; chop mill; 1/2 barrel rust resister; 3 brooder stoves; Dellinger hammermill; 2-hole corn sheller, with bagger; 100 gallon bean sprayer; 18 ft. hay ladders; all kinds of gears; 4 apple picking bags.

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BLONDIE, REMIND ME TO SET OUR CLOCK FOR FOUR A.M. TOMORROW. I WANT TO GIVE A FELLOW A RING.

CHIC YOUNG.

FOUR O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING! AND SOMEBODY'S RINGING OUR DOORBELL.

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Riding With Russell

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timely to point out that one of the chief causes of poor valve action is weakness of valve springs. Not only does an engine with weak valves have a too low top speed but since the valves are not tightly closed under certain conditions they are apt to burn. Also the valves may be tardy closing, and if there are any gummy deposits in the guides stickage is likely to develop. All this spoils the best of valve jobs.

Handicapped By Old Parts

One of the sad things about the present trend toward putting new engines in old cars is re-use of certain parts which, while appearing to be as good as new, may be way off the beam and thus a handicap to the whole job. Typical is a gummied up intake manifold. In one case the new engine ran poorly until inspection showed that the exhaust manifold was badly carbonized at a critical point. This had come about because the owner suffered a lot of trouble with the old motor.

What's On Your Mind?

Q. The front three plugs of my engine are usually wet with oil while the three towards the dash

are always dry. Does this indicate that half the engine is afflicted with badly worn rings or cylinders? What do I do about it? J. L. D.

A. Those three wet plugs probably are loose. Or they may have poor gaskets. Try cleaning their threads and replacing with new gaskets. Any plug that is loose will encourage oil to suck up past the pistons.

Q. There is a peculiar rattling noise in the engine of my car when I am ambling along at around 20 miles an hour. One mechanic tells me that this is due to a loose manifold heat control valve. He offers no remedy. H. N. McB.

A. I have had several such complaints. The reason no remedy is offered is because the shaft of this valve will soon corrode and tighten up.

Q. I notice recently that the oil drains off the motor of my car with a grayish sediment. What can I do to check this? L. S.

A. This is sludge. It is a combination of dirt, abrasives, oil and water. Better start using an oil filter, and install one with a drain. Short runs around town in cold weather accelerate sludge formations.

Q. It is difficult for me to get into low gear for a start when the engine has warmed up. No trouble when it's cold. F. F. E.

A. This looks like a case of oil working into the clutch housing



GIRL SCOUT NEWS

YORK SPRINGS

The regular meeting of the York Springs Troop No. 21 was held at the home of Mrs. Romayne Pittenturf, leader, Carole Koons and Neline Reinecker were named delegates for the conference on May 7. The alternate is Patsy Fair. Miss Bertha Rubenstein is one of the members of the committee who will also attend. A short story on the history of Girl Scouting was given by Carole Koons. Carolyn Snyder gave a short story on when, where, and how to care for the flag of the United States of America. A short story was also given by Nadine Reinecker on "Why we pay the membership dues to the National Girl Scout Association and knowing what it goes for."

LITTLE TOWN

The regular meeting of Littlestown Intermediate Troop No. 15 was held Thursday evening with the president, Joan Shull, presiding. During the meeting, the discussion was centered around the girls' cooking and dramatic badges. A cook-out and hike is being planned for the near future.

The regular meeting of the Littlestown Intermediate Troop No. 26 was held at the fire engine hall with an attendance of 23 scouts. The entire evening was spent in working on the homemaking badge.

The regular meeting of Intermediate Troop No. 14 was held March 17 with Nadine Stites, vice president, presiding. The lily of the valley was chosen as the troop crest and dark green tie. Dawn Pettyjohn presented each girl with a green carnation for St. Patrick's day. Nancy Kerchner celebrated her birthday. Refreshments were served.

LEADER'S CLUB

The Adams County Leader's club will meet in York Springs, Wednesday evening, March 30, at 7:30 p. m. The proposed constitution for the club will be presented; a senior leader will be elected as delegate from Adams county to the senior conference in Harrisburg, on May 7, and the program will include singing, games and folk dances, how to select and how to teach. All troop committee members are eligible to Leader's club meetings.

BROWNIE TROOP FORMED

Brownie Troop No. 36 of Gettysburg, held its first meeting at the Methodist church, Thursday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. Members of this troop are: Linda Hay, Sandra Woodward, Doris Dunmire, Delores Miller, Joyce Riley, Linda Stary, Phyllis Miller, Judy Ann Weikert, Carole Cann, and Jackie Smith. Leaders are Mrs. John Cann and Mrs. Frederick Hughes.

SUTTON CONFERENCE

On April 2, at Hershey, a conference will be held for all adults in Girl Scouting. The theme will be "Strengthening the Girl Scout Program." It will include programs for the three age levels. Any members of the Adams county organization wishing to attend, contact Mrs. Walter Coleman, telephone 330-Y, by Monday.

from the motor, past a worn rear main bearing or retainer. Judicious shimming of the clutch will sometimes serve to burn off the clutch plate.

Q. What would cause the breaker points to blacken readily? I am using authorized parts for my car, and the condenser has been changed. H. W. B.

A. The condenser now in use may still be of the wrong capacity. However, when the condenser question is settled check for high voltage. Poor connections or generator and regulator trouble cause this.

Q. There has been a marked drop in gas mileage in my car since arriving in Florida. I have followed a number of your suggestions for improving mileage, but so far results are negative. K. B.

A. Probably you are parking the car all day in the hot sun. This causes excessive evaporation of gasoline.

Q. The engine of my car tends toward overheating so I am planning to remove the thermostat for the warm weather ahead. Isn't this all right for summer? M. McB., Jr.

A. No. The engine will be slower warming up cool mornings and nights, and won't give you as good gas mileage.

Mr. Russell will answer questions regarding the safe care and operation of your car. Just address him at 254 Fern street, West Hartford 7, Conn., and enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope for a personal reply. There is no charge.

KILLED BY BOMB

Saltito, Mexico, March 26 (AP) — A bomb dropped from a war plane in maneuvers here yesterday fell among a group of observers, killing a major and injuring two lieutenants of the Mexican Army.



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BRITAIN BANS MORE GOODS TO RED SATELITES

London, March 26 (AP)—Britain is moving to tighten up on the shipments of potential war materials to countries behind the iron curtain.

Official sources disclosed last night a list of commodities having possible military value is being drawn for addition to the list of articles already forbidden for export to communist-dominated countries.

The informants said the new restrictions will be based on a confidential schedule of goods and materials which the United States feels should not be allowed to reach areas in the Soviet orbit. They said Washington has sent these schedules to the 19 countries which receive American assistance under the European recovery program.

U. S. Extends Ban

Two of the American schedules asked for bans on the shipment to Iron Curtain countries of arms, munitions, radar equipment, atom bomb materials, or anything which might be used in the manufacture of jet engines and certain precision instruments, the sources said.

A third schedule, which they said is the basis for the proposed new restrictions, is much more far reaching. They declined to disclose its contents or to state whether Britain has agreed to ban everything it mentions.

They said several western countries, especially Sweden, have objected to some sections of the American schedules. One official said complete compliance would affect Britain's trade with eastern Europe "seriously."

The new restrictions probably will affect British trade agreements with Russia, Poland and Yugoslavia. A one-year trade pact between Britain and Russia expired recently, but trade continues under its terms while negotiations for a new agreement are in progress.

EISENHOWER IS ILL IN HOTEL

Washington, March 26 (AP)—The illness of one official and retirement of another cut the joint chiefs of staff today down to three men—the representatives of the quarreling armed forces.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, the group's temporary chairman and moderator, is ill. Indications are that it might be some time before he can return to duty.

Eisenhower has been sick at his hotel apartment since last Monday, suffering from what his physician diagnosed as "a severe case of acute gastro-enteritis"—inflammation of the intestines.

The national military establishment, in a formal announcement, said Eisenhower probably will be able to leave in a few days "for some place, as yet not selected, where he will have a complete rest before resuming his temporary duties as presiding officer of the joint chiefs of staff."

The impressions is that the illness is more uncomfortable than dangerous. Eisenhower's office cancelled his official and social engagements.

Businessman Found Beaten To Death

Philadelphia, March 26 (AP)—Hubert E. Madden, 55-year-old businessman and friend of Philadelphia political leaders was found dead today on a downtown street. Police said he apparently had been beaten to death.

The body was found on 15th street near its intersection with Walnut, only four blocks from City Hall. Madden's wallet contained \$107. A valuable wrist watch was on his arm.

Madden was president of the Atlantic Ford Motor Coach Sales Co. He had lived for eight years at the Sylvania hotel, not far from where his body was found.

Radio Programs Sunday, March 27

A.M.	WNBC 660k FM 97.1m	WOR 710k FM 98.7 (2 p.m.)	WJZ 770k FM 95.5m	WCBS 880k FM 101.1m
7:00	Off the Air	5:45, Sunrise	News, Sunday	Off the Air
7:15	"	Serenade, with Bill Taylor	Morning Concert	"
7:30	"	"	Hall	"
7:45	"	"	"	7:58, Nat'l Anthem
8:00	Prayer, news	Musical Box	News	News
8:15	Your Health Today	Here's Heady	News, H. Gladstone	Chariot Wheels
8:30	String Quartet	Lorraine Sherwood	Coffee Concert	Carolina Chorus
8:45	"	House of Hymns	Earl Wild	Lab Success Memo
9:00	World News	News, H. Gladstone	Sunday Men's Page	World News, J. Daly
9:15	Sunday comics	Live a New Life	Bert Bacharach	F. Power Biggs
9:30	"	Radio Chapel	Sunday Morning	organ recital
9:45	"	Dr. E. R. Palen	Musical Time	Trinity Choir
10:00	Nat'l Radio Pulpit	News, H. Gladstone	Message of Israel	Church of the Air
10:15	Dr. R. Sackman	Wise Handymen	Rabbi Newman	Bishop Werner
10:30	Children's Hour	More Out of Life	The Southwesterns	Church of the Air
10:45	Variety show	Your Hymnal	male quartet	Mgr. Carberry
11:00	Ed Herlihy	News, H. Gladstone	The Fitzgeralds	More Out of Life
11:15	"	Branch with	Ed and Peggen	makers
11:30	News, C. McCarthy	Dorothy & Dick	Hour of Faith	Salt Lake City
11:45	Bob Houston	Rev. J. Muldoon	"	Tavernacle
Noon	Tex McCrary	The Show Shop	News, G. Putnam	Invitation to Learn
12:15	Jinx Falkenburg	Walter Preston	Foreign Reporter	John Kieran
12:30	Eternal Light	News, M. Elliott	Piano Playhouse	People's Platform
12:45	Green Thumb	Ross Rendevous	Lawrence Tibbett	Dwight Cooke
1:00	America United	William L. Shirer	American Almanac	Chas. Collingwood
1:15	Economic Aid	Pet Show	Edward Weeks	Elmo Roper
1:30	Author-Meets-Critic	Songs by Great Singers	National Yappers	Henry A. Wallace
1:45	Ted Cott	Dr. J. S. Bonnell	Dr. J. S. Bonnell	Atlantic Pact
2:00	Here's to Family	The Deems Taylor	This Week Around the World	The Symphonette
2:15	Jr. Talks Gack	Concert	Mr. President	Mabel Plaster
2:30	University Theater	News, H. Gladstone	Mr. President	You Are There
2:45	Thackeray's	Blackstone	Edward Arnold	Oklahoma
3:00	Henry Edmund	Great Voices and	Harrison Wood	N. Y. Philharmonic
3:15	Edmund O'Brien	Great Music	Betty Clark Sings	Symphony
3:30	One Man's Family	Juvenile Jury	Cardinal Spellman	Leopold
3:45	domestic drama	Jack Barry	Frankie Masters	Stokowski
4:00	Quiz Kids, with Joe Kelly	House of Mystery	Dr. Stefan Quisky	John Wummer
4:15	News, Living-1949	Phantom Jacker	Dick Todd Show	Hute
4:30	Dear Mr. President	Detective Mysteries	Opera Album	Skyway to Stars
4:45	"	Bombing Squad	Milton Cross	Edward Arnold
5:00	Jane Pickens Show	The Shadow	Curt Massey Show	The Choralists
5:15	Paul Winchell	Bret Morrison	Quick as a Flash	Eugene Lowell
5:30	Robert Merrill	Quick as a Flash	Quiet Please	Broadway's My
5:45	Boston Pops Orc	Lon Clark	Ernest Chappell	Beat
6:00	Catholic Hour	Roy Rogers Show	Drew Pearson	WCBS
6:15	Mayr, J. J. Sherr	Dale Evans	New, D. Gardiner	Family Hour
6:30	Adventures of Ozzie & Harriet	Nick Carter	Everest Story	Ginger Rogers
6:45	"	Lon Clark	Great Old Drama	Escapes Diamond
7:00	Horace Heidt's	Adventures of the Falcon	Pat Novak for Hire, drama	as Big as the Rite
7:15	Talent Show	Mayor of Town	Carnegie Hall	Jack Benny Show
7:30	Phil Harris and Alice Faye	Mayor of Town	Conrad Thibault	Dennis Day
7:45	"	Mayor of Town	Conrad Thibault	Amos 'n' Andy
8:00	Fred Allen Show	A. L. Alexander's	Stop the Music	Adventures of Sam
8:15	Hildegarde	Mediation Board	Bert Parks	Spade, drama
8:30	Henry Morgan	News, M. Elliott	Key Asens	Lam 'n' Abner
8:45	Patty Kelly	Robert S. Allen	Dick Brown	comedy
9:00	N. B. C. Theater	Under Arrest	Walter Winchell	Farmer Takes Wife
9:15	Fred Mac Murray	Joe De Santis	Lowell Parsons	Helen Hayes
9:30	Donald Dame	Jiminy Fidler	Theatre Guild	Our Miss Brooks
9:45	John Dickenson	John E. Kennedy	Eddie Albert	Life Arden
10:00	Take It or Leave It	Secret Missions	June Moon, with	Live with Luigi
10:15	Garry Moore	Adm. Zacharias	June Moon, with	J. Carol Neich
10:30	Catholic Hour	My Name Is Logan	George E. Sokolsky	It Pays to Be Ignorant
10:45	Bing Crosby, otha	Unsolved Mysteries	George E. Sokolsky	T. Howard
11:00	News, R. Trout	News, M. Elliott	Drew Pearson	News, Collingwood
11:15	News, Clifton Uhl	Her Tribune news	Thoughtful Peering	U. N. in Action
11:30	Chicago U. Bomb and Nest War	Twin View of News	Weather, Jack	Tommy Ryan
11:45	"	Art Warner Orch.	Fina Orchestra	Orchestra
Mdn.	News, Beasley	News, Griff	News, Midnight	News, Johnny
12:15	Smith Orchestra	Williams Orch	Music Show, pop	Austin Orch
12:30	Gallicchio Orch	Chuck Foster Orch	ular recordings	Larry Fatine
12:45	Bill McCune Orch	Bill McCune Orch	12:55, news	Orchestra

Monday, March 28

A.M.	WNBC 660k FM 97.1m	WOR 710k FM 98.7 (2 p.m.)	WJZ 770k FM 95.5m	WCBS 880k FM 101.1m
8:00	News, Bob Smith	News, P. Robinson	News, M. Agnoloni	News Roundup
8:15	Show	Breakfast with Dorothy and Dick	The Fitzgeralds	Phil Cook Show
8:30	Jinx Falkenburg	Dorothy and Dick	Ed and Peggen	Margaret Arlen
8:45	and Tex McCrary	"	8:55, Dr. A. Kooner	Show
9:00	News, Peter Roberts	News, H. Gladstone	Breakfast Club with Helen Prescott	News, Bob Hite
9:15	Ivan Sanderson	Get More Out of Life	Allen Prescott	This Is New York
9:30	Norman Brokenshire	The McCanns at Home	"	Bill Leonard
9:45	words and music	"	"	Missus Goes Shopping
10:00	Fred Waring Show	News, H. Gladstone	My True Story, drama	John Reed King
10:15	The Glee Club	Martha Deane	beta	This Is Bing Crosby
10:30	Road of Life	Maurice Orbach, guest	Betty Crocker	Arthur Godfrey
10:45	The Brighter Day	John Jordan Show	Jane Jordan Show	Janette Davis, the Mariners, Archie
11:00	Do It Yourself Club	News, P. Robinson	Nelson Olmsted	Blyer's Orch.
11:15	We Love and Learn	Health talk	With the Kirkwoods	Grand Slam, quiz
11:30	Jack Berch Show	Gabriel Heatter	Ted Malone	Rosemary
11:45	Lora Lawton	Quiz Club	Galen Drake	"

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS

WNBC	WOR	WJZ	WCBS
6:00 News, C.F. McCarthy	Kate Smith Speaks	Welcome Travelers	Wendy Warren, news
12:15 Metropolitan news	Kate Smith Sings	Tommy Bartlett	Aunt Jenny
12:30 Norman Brokenshire	News, H. Gladstone	News, Herb Sheldon	Allen Trent
12:45 words and music	Answer Man	Show	Our Cal Sunday
1:00 Mary M. McBride	Luncheon at Sardi's	Party Time	B. Suster
1:15 " "	Bill Slater	Nancy Craig Goss	Ma Perkins
1:30 " "	Hollywood Theater	Gordon Browning	Young Dr. Malone
1:45 " "	Bonita Granville	Dorothy Dix	The Guiding Light
2:00 Double or Nothing	Queen for a Day	Jack Bailey	Breakfast in Hollywood
2:15 Walter O'Keefe	John Nesbitt	Bride and Groom	Jack McElroy
2:30 Today's Children	Tello-Test, quiz	John Nelson	What Makes You Tick
2:45 Light of the World	Movie Matinee	Ladies Be Seated	David Harum
3:00 Life Can Be Beautiful	Red Beeson	House Party	Hilltop House
3:15 Ma Perkins	Best Girl	John Linklater	Robert Q. Lewis
3:30 Pepper Young Family	John Reed King	"	Show
3:45 Right to Happiness	Barbara Welles	Key Kyser's College	Hunt Hunt: Chuck
4:00 Backstage Wife	Stella Dallas	of Fun & Knowledge	Winner Take All
4:15 Lorenzo Jones	The Ladies Man	People and Things	Beat the Clock
4:45 Young Wilder Brown	Johnny Olsen	Eleanor Roosevelt	"
5:00 When a Girl Marries	Superman	Challenge of the Yukon, drama	Galen Drake
5:15 Portia Faces Life	Captain Midnight	Jack Armstrong, drama	Hits and Misses
5:30 Just Plain Bill	Tom Mix Adventures	"	Harry Marble
5:45 Front Page Farrell	"	"	"

EVENING PROGRAMS

WNBC	WOR	WJZ	WCBS
6:00 News, C. Baughart	News, Lyle Van	News, Joe Hazel	News, E. Severed
6:15 Sports, Bill Stern	On the Century	Elmer and Albert	You & Growing Older
6:30 Wayne Howell Show	News, Vandeventer	Edwin C. Hill	Herb Shriver Time
6:45 Three Star Extra	Sports, Stan Lomas	6:55, Allen Prescott	Lowell Thomas
7:00 Supper Club	Fulton Lewis Jr.	Headline Edition	Penish, comedy
7:15 News of the World	The Answer Man	The Answer Man	Club 15, Bob Crosby
7:30 World Playhouse	Periscope, news	The Lone Ranger	Edward R. Murrow
7:45 H. V. Kallenborn	Inside of Sports	Western drama	"
8:00 Cavalcade of Amer.	Straight Arrow	The Railroad Hour	Inner Sanctum
8:15 Virginia Bruce	Western drama	Best Foot Forward	Charlotte Holland
8:30 Christopher Lynch	Sherlock Holmes	Betty Garrett	Arthur Godfrey's

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Highway Dept. To Open Road Offers

Harrisburg, March 26 (AP) — The State Highway Department will open bids for contracts on more than 50 miles of highway construction and improvement on April 22, it was announced today.

All types of road from farm-to-market to improvements to routes through cities are included in the work, which will be performed in 14 counties.

Bids also will be opened for a

contract for removal of the existing Penrose ferry road bridge over the Schuylkill River. The bridge was wrecked by a collision and forms a hazardous obstruction to navigation.

Bradford county leads in road mileage to be constructed with eight and one quarter miles. (None is listed for Adams county.)

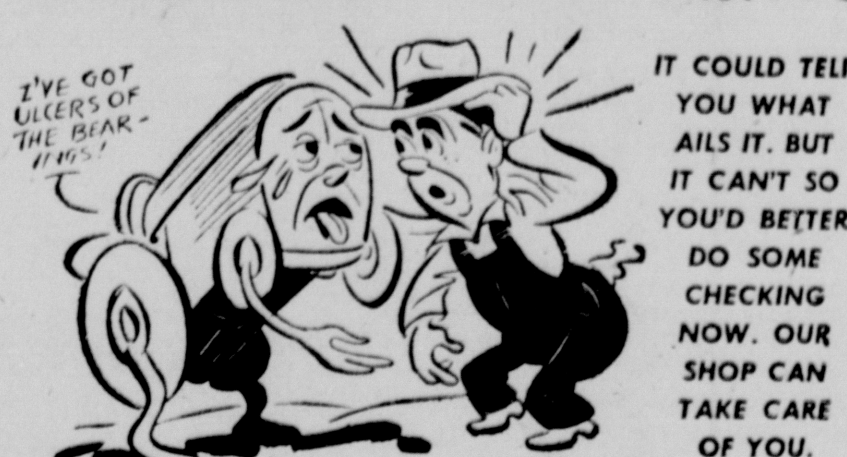
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